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Foreword . . .

The 1944 issue of *The Blue Print* is presented with the hope that it will serve as a link in our chain of memories between the past and the future.

PRINCIPAL 1939-1944

In Memoriam . . .

WAYNE MILNER SHIPMAN

His courage and integrity will ever serve as our inspiration.

A Tribute

"All of us who did know Wayne Shipman will remember him as long as we live, and whenever we think of him we will be better for the thought. There are people who, by paying a great price and by traveling alone the road of pain and suffering become the invisible guardians and inspiration of their loved ones and their friends . . .

" 'These are they who have come up out of great tribulation,' as the Scripture says, 'into the glory of man's hope.' They are the victorious ones, and I acclaim Mr. Shipman a victor not for himself alone, but for many others; for his lovely family, his innumerable friends. There came to him suddenly the stricken body, the long and bitter struggle, and then the radiant and unconquerable spirit. That is the victory that overcomes the world. Against such a glory as that, how insignificant are all the triumphs of human vanity . . .

"It has been my privilege to know a great many laymen and a great many churches. I could make a list of one hundred who would stand out for strength, loyalty, talent and Christian character. I could reduce the number to fifty, to twenty-five, to ten. I would even then put him among the very first whom I would name. I have been privileged also to know a good many schoolmen. Here also I would give him a high place. The greatest educators are those whose primary equipment is character upon which is built their skill . . .

"I salute his gentle, brave, triumphant spirit. I thank God for his release from suffering and freedom of his spirit in the measureless reaches of eternal life."

Excerpts from the eulogy spoken by the Reverend Everett C. Herrick, president of Andover Newton Theological School, at funeral services on January 26, 1944.

Dedication . . .

To George Higginbottom, our friend and principal, we the class of 1944 respectfully dedicate this Yearbook, in appreciation of his interest and guidance in our problems and activities throughout the year.

A Message

THE SHORTAGE OF manpower is a national concern. This past year many of you have willingly and very capably contributed much to alleviate this situation. It is obvious that conducting this war to a successful conclusion will necessitate not only accumulating each ounce of raw material that can be located or salvaged but the judicious management of all human resources. Materials cannot be wasted by unqualified individuals awkwardly doing jobs for which they are not fitted. The armed services, production lines, private industry and business as a whole require men and women with ability, imagination, determination, resourcefulness and energy.

Slightly more than a decade ago, graduates, as you are now, were shunted in the background, discouraged and made to feel unnecessary, but you today are the country's greatest asset. Decisions must be made, and it is essential that they be based on considered judgment with primary emphasis on the contribution that each of you can make to the war effort. Our country has already selected some of you for pilot training, others will be selected as bombardiers, mechanics, and all other specialists needed to win the war. From others we must provide scientists, engineers, inventors, professional services of all types needed in the post-war period. For some of you two plans will be necessary, one for the war years and the other for the post-war period. You, together with other graduates, comprise the nation's greatest, most precious resource and the talent that will be required during the critical years of war and of the reconstruction that must inevitably follow.

> "Great deeds are not performed by strength alone, but by perseverance."—*Dr. S. Johnson*

My blessings and Godspeed, best wishes, success and happiness to you all.

GEORGE HIGGINBOTTOM,
Principal

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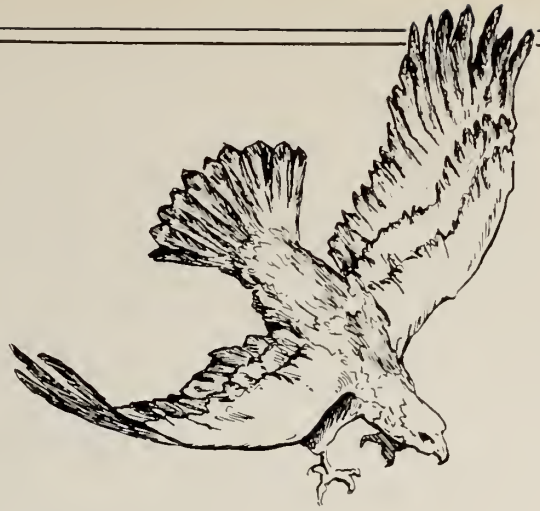

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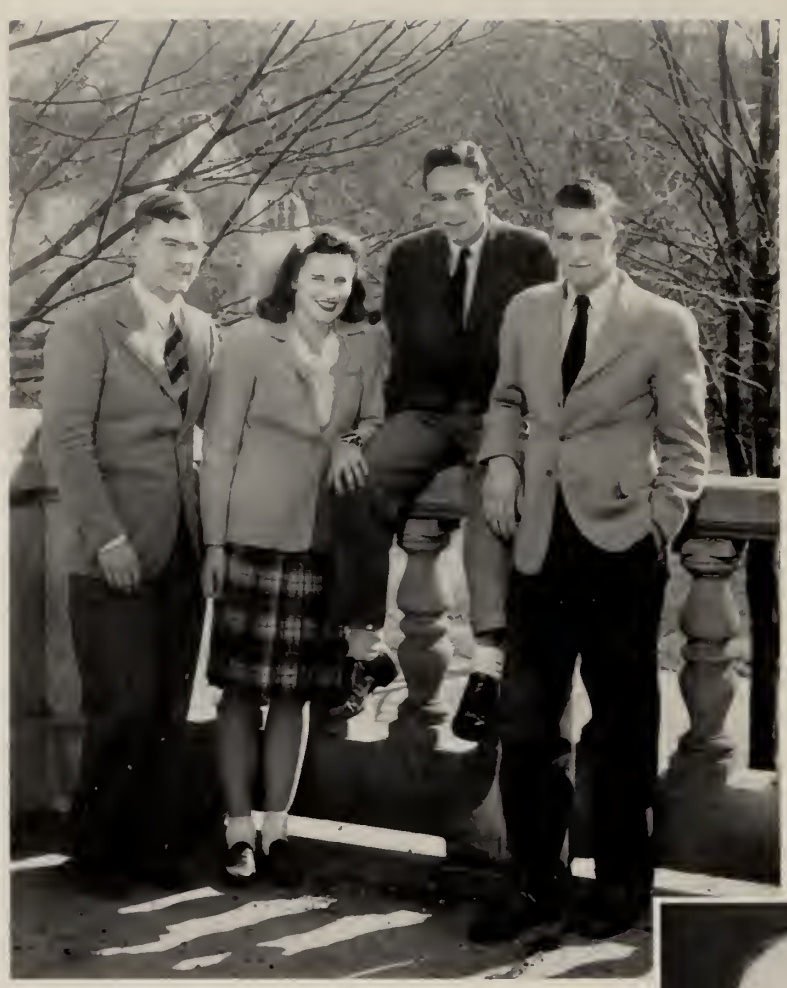

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Abely, William "Bill"

Track 2, 3; Spanish Club 3

AMBITION: Reporter

PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra

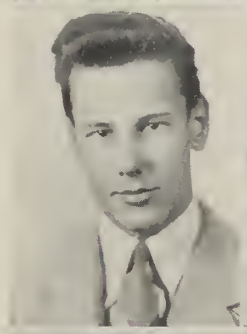
"Laugh and the world laughs with you"

Albro, William "Bill"

AMBITION: One Ford with wings on it

PET PEEVE: Women drivers

"Get thee behind me"



Alexander, Annie E. "Anne"

Bond and Stamp Salesman 2, 3; Belmontian Club 3; Student Council 3; Bookworms 3

AMBITION: Bryant & Stratton

PET PEEVE: Our nice, clean lunch trays

"First in everything, even the alphabet"

Anderson, John "Andy"

French Club 1, 2; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; Photography Club 1; Junior Rotarian 3; National Honor Society 2, 3 (President); Yearbook Committee 3; Senior Play 3; Senior Play Committee 3; Senior Honor Group 3

AMBITION: M. I. T.

PET PEEVE: Trying to be a Wenner Superman

"Could I love less, I would be happier"

Andrews, Elizabeth Jane "Betty"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Field Hockey 2; Softball 2; French Club 3

AMBITION: Nurse

PET PEEVE: Showers in gym

"There are smiles that make you happy"

Annese, Francis D. "Danny"

Bookworms 3

AMBITION: Marine Corps

PET PEEVE: Grouchy teachers

"A quiet man who offendeth none,
A pleasing student, well begun"

Arnoldson, June "Angie"

Girl Reserves 1; Photography Club 1; Spanish Club 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Belmontian Club 3

AMBITION: Navy nurse

PET PEEVE: "I said it—and I'm glad"

"We look up to her in every way"

Ashus, Mary Geraldine "Mary Lou"

Belmontian Club 2; Bookworms 3

AMBITION: Lab technician

PET PEEVE: Hospital routine

"I love you true, my Mary Lou,
For that is due, since you are you."

Atwater, Marjorie Elaine "Margie"

Spanish Club 1; Junior Red Cross 1; Belmontian Club 3; Bookworms 3

AMBITION: To be 5'4"

PET PEEVE: Conceited people

"A really charming girl
Always willing to unfurl
The flag of friendship"

Augustine, Mary

Junior Red Cross 1; Girl Reserves 1; Bookworms 3; Belmontian Club 3

AMBITION: Nurse

PET PEEVE: Lockers on second floor

"A face with gladness overspread"

Aveni, Joseph "Pop"

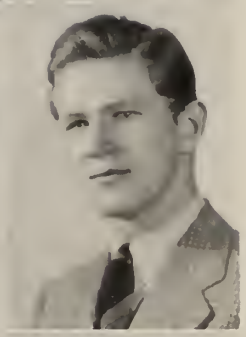
Wrestling 1; Ring Committee 3
AMBITION: Business representative
"The difficult can be done immediately;
The impossible takes a little longer"

Bates, Evelyn "Evie"

Badminton 1, 2; Bookworms (Librarian) 3; Cheerleader 3
AMBITION: To be happy
PET PEEVE: Little brothers
"A sunny smile is the key to friendship"

Bacon, Barbara "Porky"

Ski Club 1; Tennis Club 1; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 2; French Club 2; Cheerleader 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Honorary member of Belmont Woman's Club 3; Senior Prom Committee 3; Senior Honor Group
AMBITION: Katharine Gibbs
PET PEEVE: People who blow smoke in my face
"How near to good is what is fair"

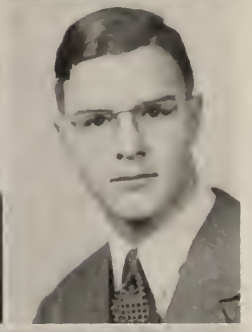


Batten, William "Cotton"

Wrestling 1; Orchestra 1; Class day Committee 2; Senior Banquet Committee 3
AMBITION: Teacher
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra
"What a spendthrift he is of his tongue"

Baldau, William "Bill"

Camera Club 1; Track 1, 2, 3; French Club 2, 3; Tennis Club 2; Dramatic Club 3
AMBITION: M. I. T.
PET PEEVE: Automobiles
"Forsooth, indeed, without a doubt
This man knows what he talks about"



Bean, Orville "Orv"

National Honor Society 2, 3; Vice President of Senior Class; Senior Honor Group
AMBITION: Electronics engineer in ultra-high-frequency techniques
PET PEEVE: Girls
"He was honest and bright
To the teacher's delight—"

Barnard, Priscilla "Cilla"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 3
AMBITION: William & Mary College
PET PEEVE: People who procrastinate
"She stands erect — a queen without a crown"

Beattie, Barbara "Barb"

Student Council 1; French Club 2, 3; Belmontian Club 3
AMBITION: Airplane hostess
PET PEEVE: People who say, "Oh look, I bet she picked up that sailor"
"Let me call you sweetheart"

Barry, Robert "Bob"

AMBITION: Army Air Corps
PET PEEVE: Conceited girls
"For the pride of the race
and the peace of the land"

Bedig, Russell H. "Pete"

Wrestling 1, 2; Track 1
AMBITION: Army
"He is not a fool who knows when to hold his tongue"

Beeten, Leslie "Les"

AMBITION: See the world and meet people
PET PEEVE: Rolling wrecks and wreckless drivers

"He's never been vanquished, but he'll always be Beeten"

Blaikie, Nancy Lee "Nan"

Girl Reserves 1; Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; First Aid 2
AMBITION: To get the most out of life
PET PEEVE: Teachers without humor

"No gloom, no sadness, but instead
She brightens the corner where she treads"

Bellantoni, Francine "Frankie"

Junior Red Cross 1, 2; Belmontian Club 2
AMBITION: Hairdresser
PET PEEVE: G. I. haircuts

"Maybe she's perfect and maybe she's not,
But plenty of friends she's certainly got"

Blanchette, Patricia Frances "Pat"

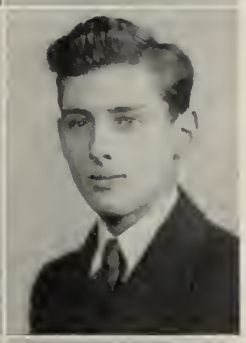
Junior Red Cross 1, 2, 3; French Club 3; Belmontian Club 3; Bookworms 3
AMBITION: To be a nurse
PET PEEVE: People who are on time when I'm late

"Tell me, Pretty Maiden,
Are there any more at home like you?"

Bennett, Jeanne "Penney"

Belmontian Club 1; Spanish Club 1; Junior Red Cross 3; Bookworms 3
AMBITION: Service or marriage
PET PEEVE: Insincerity

"I know a maiden fair to see;
Take care, take care!"



Blanchette, Paul "Sonny"

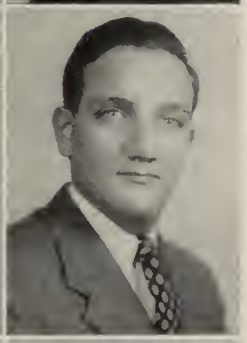
Bookworms 3
AMBITION: Get out of High School
PET PEEVE: Mr. Meyers

"And here is a lad that's never quite bad,
But he's no saint either"

Benz, Muriel "Benzie"

Latin Club 1; Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Bookworms 3; Badminton 3; Junior Red Cross 3
AMBITION: To be a lawyer
PET PEEVE: Hats

"Which of us is safe defense against her wide-eyed innocence?"



Bonfiglio, Ludovico "Bugs"

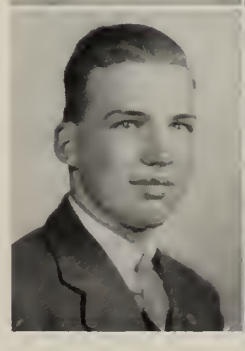
Track 1; Football 1, 2, 3; Latin Club 2; French Club 2; Prom Committee 2; Student Council 3; Junior Rotarians 3; Senior Banquet
AMBITION: To be Governor of Waverley
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra

"Every man has his fault; his fault is honesty"

Birch, Stanley "Stan"

Ski Club 1; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Student Council 2; Tennis Club 2; German Club 2; Track 2
AMBITION: Engineering or professional scouts
PET PEEVE: Nosey people

"Real worth needs no interpreter"



Bonfiglio, Samuel "Wacky"

Basketball 1
AMBITION: Navy Air Corps
PET PEEVE: Going to school

"I have laid aside business and gone a'fishing"

Bonfiglio, Santina "Sandy"

Junior Red Cross 1, 2
AMBITION: Typist
PET PEEVE: Mayonnaise
"Firm was her eye and her bearing bold"

Borghetti, Joseph "Joe"

Football 1, 2, 3; Wrestling 1, 2; National Honor Society 3
AMBITION: Army Air Corps
PET PEEVE: Going to school on a rainy day
"The sun never rises, the sun never sets
On anything Joseph Borghetti regrets"

Bourden, Barbara "Barb"

Junior Red Cross 1, 2; Dramatic Club 3; Belmontian Club 2, 3
AMBITION: Marriage
PET PEEVE: Rainy days
"Smile and be gay
Life is not play"

Braff, Jerome "Jerry"

AMBITION: Get into college before I'm drafted
PET PEEVE: "Blackjacks"
"Wherever his wife may roam,
She'll always come home to Jerome"

Brown, William "Beetle"

Student Council 1; Football 1; Hockey 1, 2, 3 (Captain); Baseball 1, 2, 3
AMBITION: Professional athletics
PET PEEVE: Gas rationing
"The type of a guy who has the power,
To casually step in an ice-cold shower"

Bruce, Patricia "Pat"

AMBITION: To be able to spell
PET PEEVE: Huaraches
"She'll be his inspiration"

Brunn, Carl "Skipper"

Band 1, 2; Photography Club 1, 2, 3; Music Club 3; Yearbook Committee 3
AMBITION: Officer, U. S. Merchant Marine
PET PEEVE: People who always yell, "Take my picture!"
"Our vanity makes us all defer
To Brunn, the class photographer"

Burke, Patricia "Pat"

Dramatic Club 2; Photography Club 2; Student Council 2; French Club 2; Belmontian Club 3; Bookworms 3 (Secretary)
AMBITION: Mt. Ida Junior College
PET PEEVE: "No no-school signals"
"Her mouth is like a cherry,
And a dimple mocking merry
Is lurking in the cheek she turns to you"

Burns, Phyllis Ann "Phyl"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 1; Ski Club 1; Junior Red Cross 2, 3 (Vice-president); Student Council 2 (Vice-President); Spanish Club 2, 3; Farewell Dance Committee 2; Dramatic Club 3; Dramatic Class Play 3; Class Ring Committee 3
AMBITION: Katharine Gibbs
PET PEEVE: The heartache of war
"I was taken by surprise,
By a pair of roguish eyes"

Butler, Patricia "Pat"

Belmontian Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2; Junior Red Cross 3; Spanish Club 3
AMBITION: Western Maryland College
PET PEEVE: The song "There Are Such Things" because there aren't
"Her voice is soft, gentle, and low, an excellent thing in woman"

Cameron, Roger "Rog"
Student Council 1; Soccer 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3
AMBITION: Air Corps
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra
"Beware the fury of a patient man"

Celi, Frank "Sully"
Basketball 1
AMBITION: Naval Air Corps
PET PEEVE: Homework
"An easy minded soul—and always was"

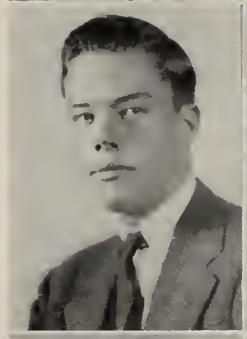
Canning, Shirley
Girl Reserves 1; Belmontian Club 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Bookworms 3
AMBITION: Undecided
PET PEEVE: Oral topics (especially book reports)
"Baby face"

Centauro, Nancy "Nan"
Junior Red Cross 1; Bookworms 3
AMBITION: Office work
PET PEEVE: Homework
"A smile, a glance, a friendly look"

Carbee, Gloria "Glo"
Dramatic Club 1; Girl Reserves 1; Spanish Club 2, 3; National Honor Society 2, 3; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Honorary member of Belmont Woman's Club 3; Senior Honor Group
AMBITION: To have fun
PET PEEVE: My middle name
"Quiet, sweet, and demure,
Her smile her own allure"

Cherry, Myrtle "Myrt"
Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 1, 2; Latin Club 1, 2; French Club 1; Tennis Club 2, 3
AMBITION: To go to college
PET PEEVE: Being called "Mimi"
"Infinite riches in a little room"

Carlson, John "Jack"
French Club 3
AMBITION: Harvard College
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra
"Who knows nothing base, fears nothing known"



Cheyney, Dorothy "Pinchey"
Belmontian Club 3; Student Council 3 (President)
AMBITION: To see Honolulu again at peace
PET PEEVE: Numbing weather
"Cheerfully, hopefully passing the day
Busily, skillfully making her way"

Carroll, Mary Patricia "Pat"
Girl Reserves 1; Belmontian Club 3; Spanish Club 3
AMBITION: Nurse
PET PEEVE: Straight hair on rainy days
"And smile, smile, smile!"

Christopher, James "Jimmy"
Latin Club 1, 2
AMBITION: Chemical engineering
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra
"With malice toward none"

Clahane, Elizabeth "Betty"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Badminton 1, 2; Bookworms 3; Junior Red Cross 3

AMBITION: To be a success

PET PEEVE: Oral talks

"When Irish eyes are smiling, sure,
'Tis like a morn in spring"

Clare, Richard "Bud"

Student Council 1, 2; French Club 1; Basketball 2, 3; Golf 2, 3

AMBITION: Naval Air Corps

PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra

"Time is like gold; there isn't any"

Coates, Anne Elizabeth "Betty"

Junior Red Cross 2

AMBITION: Secretary

PET PEEVE: Oral reports

"She'll make you happy, make you sad;
But she will never make you mad"

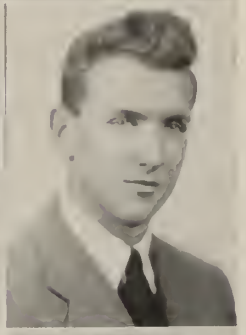
Coffey, Marjorie "Margie"

French Club 1; Ski Club 1; Junior Red Cross 1, 2, 3; Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 2

AMBITION: To graduate from B. H. S.

PET PEEVE: Tall boys

"Good things come in small packages"

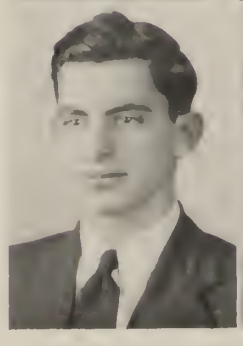


Colantuoni, Vincent "Jimmy"

AMBITION: Machinist

PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra

"The mills of the gods grind slowly"



Coleman, Dorothy "Dot"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 1, 2; Girl Reserves 1; Dramatic Club 3; National Honor Society 3 (Vice President); Senior Play Committee 3; Forum 3 (Secretary); Honorary member of Belmont Woman's Club; Senior Honor Group

AMBITION: College

PET PEEVE: Being called "Red"

"You'll never find her hesitate
Upon a question in debate."

Comeau, Catherine "Kay"

Belmontian Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 1, 2; French Club 1, 2, 3 (President); Field Hockey 1, 2 3 (Manager); Basketball 1, 2, 3 (Captain); Softball 1, 2, 3; Badminton 1, 2, 3.

AMBITION: Physical education college

PET PEEVE: Poor sportsmanship

"All nature, dear Kay, is blooming to greet
The glance of your eye and the tread of your feet"

Comeau, Edna "Eddie"

Junior Red Cross 1; Girl Reserves 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 1

AMBITION: Airline hostess

PET PEEVE: Missing busses

"Come along and sing a song with me"

Conley, Charles "Charlie"

Football 1, 2; Basketball 1

AMBITION: Marines

PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra's followers

"You'll have a hard time, Charlie,
Keepin' all those girls away"

Coombs, Betty "Betts"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3 (Treasurer); Cheerleader 2, 3 (Co-Captain); Band 1; Junior Red Cross 3; Dramatic Club 3; German Club 3

AMBITION: To find out who Yehudi is! ! !

PET PEEVE: Squeaky chalk

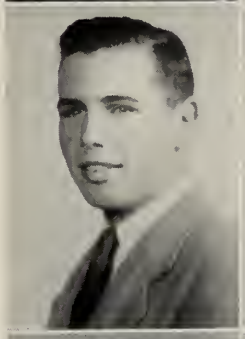
"Her very frowns are fairer far
Than smiles of other maidens are"

Cooney, Paul "Jake"

Bookworms 3
AMBITION: To graduate from B. H. S.
PET PEEVE: Miss McCormack
"His scorn of wrong, his zeal for truth"

Corcoran, Paul "Corkey"

Football 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Wrestling 2; French Club 3
AMBITION: Boston College
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra
"Faithful friends are hard to find"

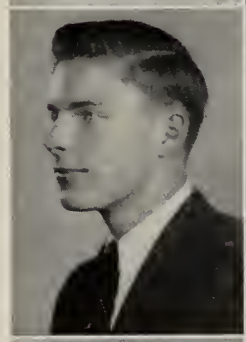


Cormey, Shirley "Shirl"

Belmontian 1, 2, 3; Red Cross 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 3; Dramatic Club 3
AMBITION: Laboratory technician
PET PEEVE: Jealous people
"Regard and faith will ever bloom"

Cox, Paul R.

French Club 2, 3 (Treasurer); Forum Club 3; Soccer 3; Music Club 3
AMBITION: Science
PET PEEVE: Zita
"It's a wise brother that knows his own sister"



Cox, Zita "Zete"

Belmontian Club 3; Bookworms 3
AMBITION: Secretary
PET PEEVE: Braggers
"Friends greet this fair maiden wherever she goes"

Crepeau, Helen "Helen"

Student Council 2; Dramatic Club 3; Senior Play 3
AMBITION: Airline hostess
PET PEEVE: Red heads
"She's little, but she's wise,
She's a little terror for her size"

Culkeen, Grace Claire "Speed"

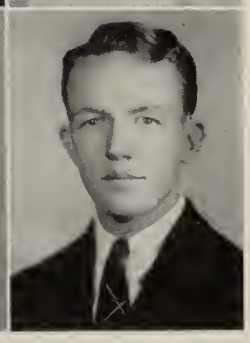
Riding Club 1; Ski Club 1; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Bookworms 3; Junior Red Cross 3
AMBITION: Burdett College
PET PEEVE: Gym
"Its blue is in the ocean shadow
That hides in her dreaming eyes"

Currier, Harold "Hal"

Band 1, 2
AMBITION: To be a Harvard lad
PET PEEVE: Belmont's contribution to music
"Seraphs share with thee knowledge,
But art, oh man, is thine alone."

Curtis, Joy "Deak"

Band 1; Choir 1, 2; Art Club 1; Volley Ball 2; Belmontian Club 3; Field Hockey 3
AMBITION: Lab technician
PET PEEVE: Braggarts
"Be patient, be patient, for patience hath power"



Daily, Thomas "T"

Football 1, 3; Latin Club 3; French Club 3
AMBITION: Boston College
PET PEEVE: Getting up in the morning to go to school
"I knew him strong and silent; well, anyway strong"

Daly, Margaret "Peg"

Belmontian Club 3
AMBITION: M. I. T.
PET PEEVES Wind bags
"Bright-eyed, roguish lipped"

Donovan, Irene "Rene"

A Cappella Choir 1; Junior Red Cross 1, 2
AMBITION: Nurse
PET PEEVE: Mustaches
"Here is one whose young delight
Beckons to me in her smile"

Davis, Herbert M., Jr. "Bud"

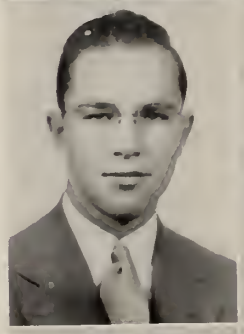
Football 1, 2, 3; Ski Club 1; Track 2, 3; Basketall 2; Baseball 3
AMBITION: To win my silver wings of the U. S. A. Air Force
PET PEEVE: Homework
"Variety is the spice of life"

Donovan, William "Bill"

AMBITION: To be a success in life
PET PEEVE: The 8:30 bell every morning
"Thou dwarfest all things small or great"

Dawson, Joseph "Joe"

Footall 1, 2, 3; Hockey 1, 2, 3
AMBITION: To go to Scotland
PET PEEVE: Female hair-do's
"Never let work interfere with play"



Douglass, Marjorie "Doug"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3 (Chairman of Program Committee); French Club 1; Tennis 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; Inter American Club 2; Basketball 2, 3
AMBITION: To be an archaeologist
PET PEEVE: Wiffles, Frank Sinatra
"Happiness is a coin best kept when given away"

Delaney, Richard "D"

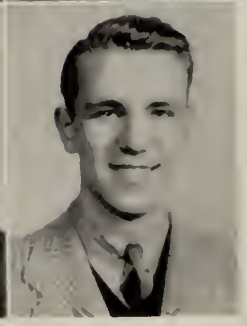
AMBITION: Air Corps
PET PEEVE: School in general
"In peace or war, a Roman full equipped"

Dowd, Arthur "Art"

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 2, 3; Spanish Club 1; Baseball 2, 3; Class Day Committee 2
PET PEEVE: 8:30 bell
"Books are a triviality; life alone is great"

Dobrowski, Francis "Frannie"

Track 3
AMBITION: Army pilot
PET PEEVE: Mr. Wenner's idea of calisthenics
"Be old and resolute,
Laugh to scorn the power of men"

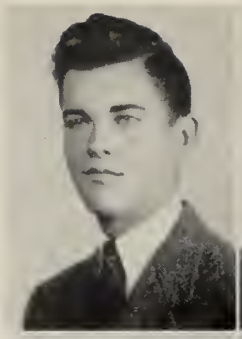


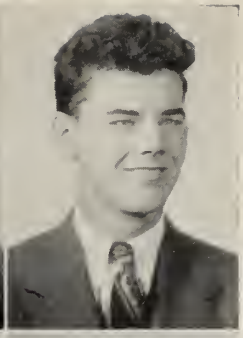
Drolette, Charles Norman

AMBITION: Armed service
PET PEEVE: Coming to school on a rainy day
"Let's celebrate . . . Kindly pass the milk"

DuBois, Edward "Frog'

Basketball 1; Bookworms 3
AMBITION: To find a job without any work
PET PEEVE: English classes
"Sleep, the innocent sleep"



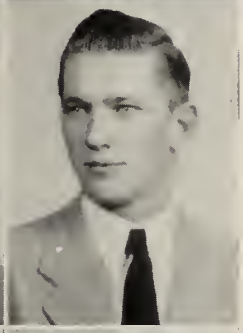


Egan, Paul F. "Speed"

Printing Club 1, 2; Bookworms 3
AMBITION: U. S. Marine Corps
PET PEEVE: Blond and red haired girls
"Many a fathom dark and deep"

Durkee, Robert "Duke"

Orchestra 1, 2; Band 1, 2
AMBITION: To get married
PET PEEVE: Homework
"His lone and all-inspiring volition
Is realization of this ambition"

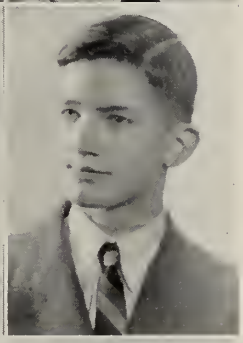


Elliott, Joseph "Joe"

Football 1, 2, 3 (Captain); Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3; President of Class 2, 3
AMBITION: Boston College
PET PEEVE: Cold shower after football practice
"The staff of leadership is weighty,
But he has a strong right arm"

Durkee, Ruth "Ruthie"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 1; Junior Red Cross 1, 2; Orchestra 1
AMBITION: To be a secretary
PET PEEVE: Getting up in the morning
"Oh, how I hate to get up in the morning—
Oh, how I love to remain in bed"

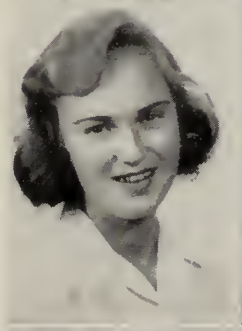


Elliott, Paul

Latin Club 1, 2, 3 (Consul 2, 3); Student Council 2, 3; Debating Club 1; National Honor Society 2, 3; Forum Club 3; Junior Rotarian 3
AMBITION: Professor of Government; news commentator
PET PEEVE: U. S. lack of foreign policy
"All things can be accomplished
Through patience and skill"

Eddy, Jean

Band 1, 2; French Club 1, 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 3
AMBITION: To graduate from college
PET PEEVE: String beans with strings on them
"Happy am I, from all cares free;
Why can't they all be contented like me?"

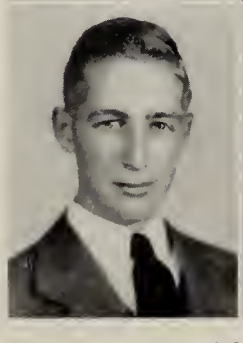


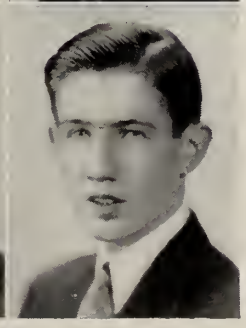
Everett, Robert "Bob"

Orchestra 1; Band 1; Soccer 1; Tennis 2
AMBITION: Millionaire
PET PEEVE: Girls who giggle
"Of stature fair and slender frame"

Egan, Kenneth "Ken"

Soccer 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Class Day Committee 2; Bookworms 3; Senior Banquet Chairman 3
AMBITION: Coach
PET PEEVE: Girls that smoke
"Lively and ardent,
Frank and kind"





Fahey, Donal "Don"

French Club 2; Latin Club 3; National Honor Society 2, 3;
AMBITION: West Point
PET PEEVE: Essays and theses
"A bit of work, a bit of play
Just be natural all the day"

Ferguson, Barbara
"Barbie"

French Club 1, 3; Latin Club 2; Assistant librarian 2; Forum Club 3; Honorary member of the Belmont Woman's Club, Yearbook representative 3; Belmontian Club 3; Music Club 3 (President); Senior Honor Group

AMBITION: To do something beneficial for mankind

PET PEEVE: Teachers who don't teach

"The truth from her eyes ever shining"

Ferron, Richard E. "Dick"

Photography Club 2; Yearbook Photography Committee 3

AMBITION: ——

PET PEEVE: Girls smoking on street

"The goal I sought is fairly won"

Filogamo, Martin
"Flapper"

Football 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 1; Golf 2

AMBITION: Not to get married

PET PEEVE: Women

"Touch of the dark eye"

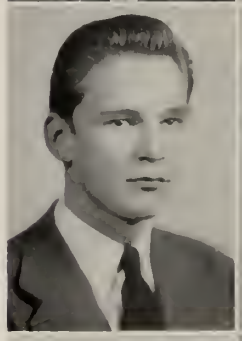
Finigan, Francis "Frank"

Student Council 1; Class Treasurer (Sophomore); Football 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Senior Class Secretary; Class Day Committee 2

AMBITION: Play a full game against Watertown

PET PEEVE: Ann O'Brien

"I don't want to walk without her"



Fitzgerald, John "Fitzie"

Baseball 1; Band 1, 2; Student Council 2

AMBITION: Bookkeeper

PET PEEVE: School

"Love wakes and weeps"

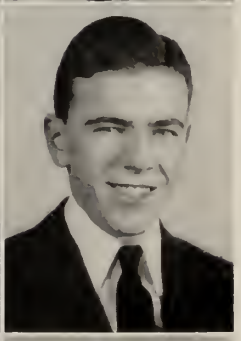
Fitzgerald, Robert "Fitzie"

Soccer 1, 2, 3 (Captain); Student Council 2; Hockey 1, 3

AMBITION: Naval Air Corps

PET PEEVE: Report cards

"Out of my way, gal—here I come"



Flamand, Richard "Dick"

Student Council 1, 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 1, 2, 3 (President); Football 1; French Club 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Class Day Committee 3; Soccer 1; Ski Club 2, 3

AMBITION: Army Air Corps

PET PEEVE: Ration stamps

"An animal who is extremely rare"

Flanagan, Mary
"Flanny-Rustie"

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Field Hockey 1; Girl Reserves 1; Bookworms 3

AMBITION: To be a success in life

PET PEEVE: Dish trays in the cafeteria

"The face is familiar"

Fleming, Catherine "Cathy"

Bookworms 3

AMBITION: A WAC

PET PEEVE: School bells

"She must be gentle, soft and meek,
No lordly dame for me"

Foley, Eileen

Spanish Club 1; Badminton 1, 2, 3; Softball 1, 2, 3; Girl Reserves 1; Tennis 2, 3; Belmontian Club 3; Field Hockey 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3

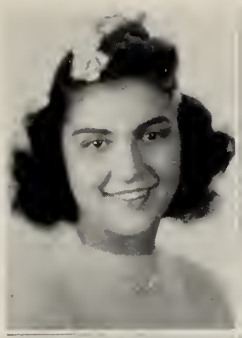
AMBITION: Sargent College

PET PEEVE: Wet tennis courts on a sunny day

"Bright as the sun's first ray"

Forte, Frances "Fran"

AMBITION: Dressmaker
PET PEEVE: Being absent
"Absence makes the heart grow fonder"



Fouhy, Robert "Bob"

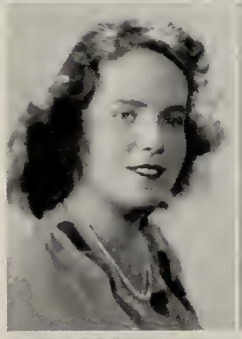
Track 1; Junior Red Cross 1, 2 (President) 3; Prom Committee 2; Dramatic Club 3; Senior Play 3
AMBITION: To graduate
PET PEEVE: Bright red fingernails
"An actor to his very core
Belmont High School's Barrymore"

Franchi, Mary

Latin Club 1; Yearbook Committee 1, 2, 3 (Art Editor); Forum Club 3
AMBITION: Commercial artist
PET PEEVE: Bashfulness
"Cold and distant at the start
Ends by melting every heart"

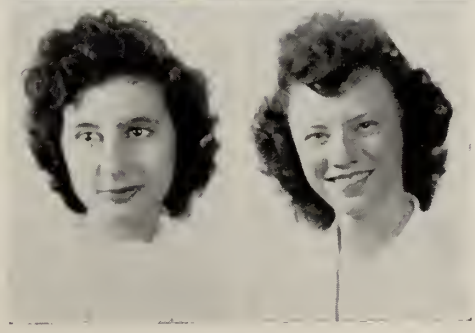
Frye, Edith "Edie"

Girl Reserves 1; Red Cross 2
AMBITION: Business school
"Alas, I cannot tell a lie,
My heart belongs to Edith Frye"



Furfuro, Doris

Bookworms 3; Junior Red Cross 3
AMBITION: Secretary
PET PEEVE: Fingernails scraping down the blackboard
"She walks in beauty, like the night"



Giacomazzi, Margaret "Peggy"

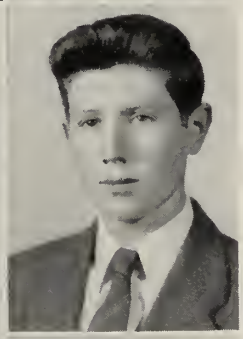
AMBITION: To work
PET PEEVE: Short hair
"Content to see, glad to remember"

Gianino, Virginia "Ginny"

AMBITION: Hairdresser
PET PEEVE: Homework
"Patience, truth and variety,
Grace in all simplicity"

Gifford, Roger "Roge"

AMBITION: Graduate with the Class of '44
PET PEEVE: Gym
"The girls don't bother me
'Til I stop bothering them"



Gillis, Jayne "Jaynie"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 1, 2, 3; Student Council 1, 3; Latin Club 2; Agricultural Club 2 (Secretary); Yearbook Committee 3; Junior Red Cross 3
AMBITION: To have a chem experiment accepted the first time
PET PEEVE: The morning after —gym!
"I see your dancing eyes in every star"

Graham, Irene "Rene"

Junior Red Cross 1; Belmontian Club 3; Band 3
AMBITION: To christen a ship
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra "haters"
"A smile goes well with everything"

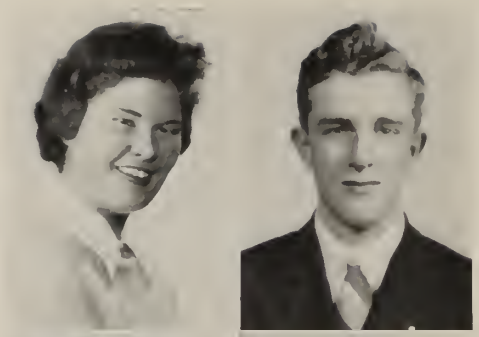
Graham, Joae "Joey"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 2; French Club 3; Agricultural Club 2

AMBITION: U. S. Cadet Nurse Corps

PET PEEVE: No escalator in B. H. S.

"Happiness is just around the corner;
Those who look can find it"



Greenlaw, Wilbert "Wilbur"

Soccer 1, 3; Latin Club 1; National Honor Society 2 (Treasurer) 3; Junior Rotarian 3; Senior Play 3; Dramatic Club 3

AMBITION: Aeronautical engineer

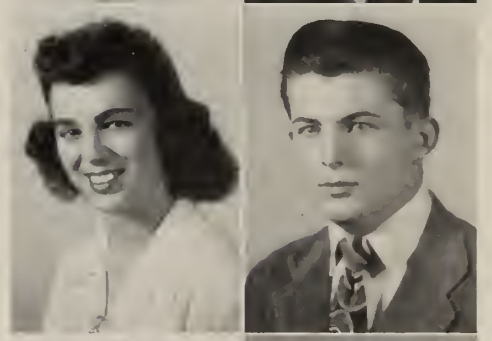
"Every inch a man, to say nothing of the feet"

Grant, Frances "Frannie"

AMBITION: To be successful

PET PEEVE: Homework

"Love, but I dream of you
And spring is in my heart"



Grimes, Leonard "Lenny"

Dramatic Club 1; Soccer 1, 2; Wrestling 1; National Honor Society 2, 3; Yearbook Committee 3

AMBITION: To get an A on Miss Stone's math tests

PET PEEVE: A certain ring of keys

"The learned eye is yet the roving one"

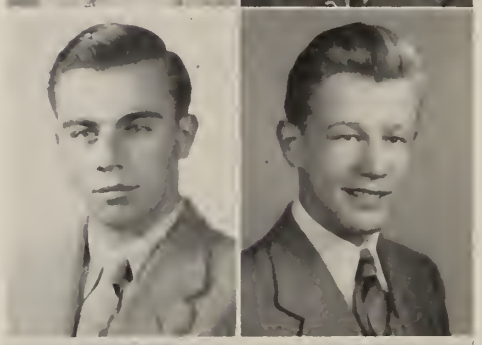
Gray, Hollis "Little Junior"

National Honor Society 2, 3

AMBITION: Mechanical engineer

PET PEEVE: Dinghies

"Steel-true and blade straight"



Gronberg, Frederick "Freddie"

Baseball 1, 2, 3; Band 1

AMBITION: Chemist

PET PEEVE: Gas rationing

"This brave chief shall lead the forces"

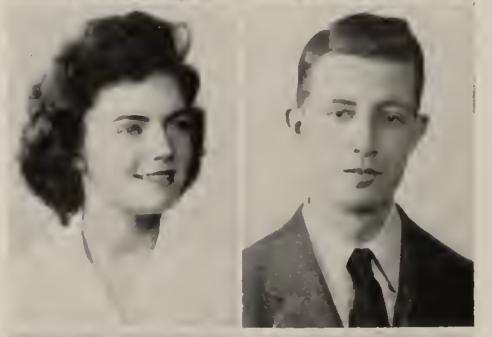
Greehan, Eleanor "Ellie"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Field Hockey 1, 2, 3 (Captain); Basketball 1, 2, 3; Softball 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3

AMBITION: To get out of school

PET PEEVE: School

"School days, school days,
Dear old—"



Gustafson, Craig "Gus"

Band 1, 2; Soccer 2, 3; French Club 3; Junior Rotarian 3

AMBITION: Lead a scientific career

"Good humor lights the road to friendship"

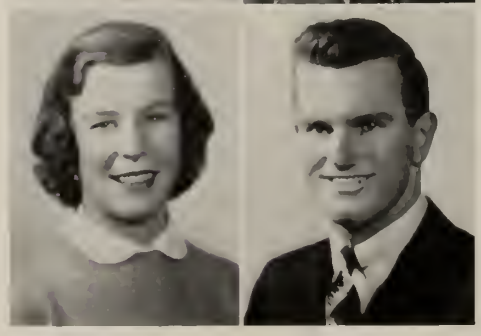
Greene, Joanna "Jo"

Field Hockey 1, 2; National Honor Society 2, 3; Yearbook Committee 3; Honorary member of Belmont Woman's Club 3; Forum Club 3

AMBITION: Success in my "unknown" career

PET PEEVE: Dish washing

"And her hair was as fair as the sun in the sky"



Hackett, Paul "Butch"

Football 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3

AMBITION: U. S. Marines

PET PEEVE: Watertown

"With malice toward some"

Halligan, Virginia "Ginny"

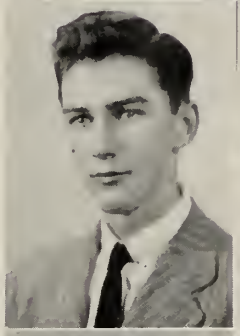
Girl Reserves 1; Choir 1; Latin Club 2; French Club 2
AMBITION: College
PET PEEVE: Gym
"She is a damsel of delicate mould"

Haverty, David

AMBITION: Marines
PET PEEVE: Homework
"We are proud to claim the title
Of United States Marines"

Hanley, James "Jim"

AMBITION: Air Corps
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra
"His enemies will bite the dust"

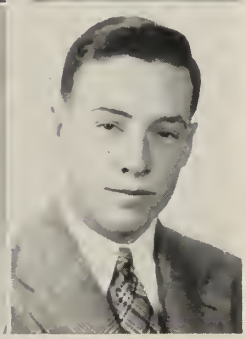


Hearn, Ann

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 1, 2; Orche tra 1; Spanish Club 2; Dramatic Club 2; Basketball 3
AMBITION: Jackson College
PET PEEVE: Rain
"A true friend is like a classic: Its loveliness never dies"

Harris, Selma "Sally"

Junior Red Cross 1, 2, 3
AMBITION: Happiness
PET PEEVE: Catty girls
"A maiden that has no counterpart"

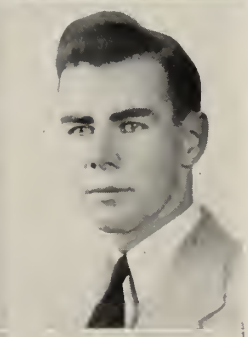


Heavey, John "Hefty"

Football 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Soccer 3
AMBITION: To make good
PET PEEVE: Spelling
"His ready wit flowed fair and free"

Hartford, Mary Elizabeth "Betty"

French Club 1; Orchestra 1, 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 3
AMBITION: To make Miss Cleary "run and run"
PET PEEVE: People who are always on time
"Blythe of cheer and gentle of mood"

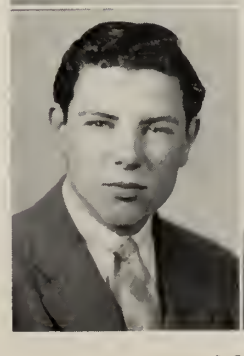


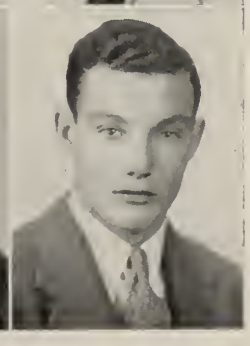
Heavey, Vincent "Jack"

Football 1; Senior Play 3; Dramatic Club 3 (Treasurer and Secretary); Soccer 3
AMBITION: Top of the ladder
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra
"Hard is the heart that loveth not in May"

Haseltine, David "Dave"

Spanish Club 1, 2; Wrestling 1; Band 1
AMBITION: Navy Air Corps
PET PEEVE: Red heads
"In hour of utmost need
He'll prove his power, art, and speed"





Hickey, John "Jack"

Dramatic Club 2; Football 3; Baseball 3
AMBITION: Boston College
PET PEEVE: Cigarette smoke
"A gentleman in the true sense of the word"

Higgins, John "Johnny"

Football 1; Basketball 1; Student Council 1; Track 2
AMBITION: Ski Troops
PET PEEVE: Mad drivers
"Better late to school than never"

Howard, Janet "Jan"

Orchestra 1; French Club 1, 2; Dramatic Club 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 3
AMBITION: Success
PET PEEVE: Spiders
"Never a cross or hasty word, Pleasing to see, welcomely heard"

Hilberg, Eleanor "Shorty"

Bookworms 3; A Cappella Choir 3
AMBITION: Bookkeeper
PET PEEVE: Mustaches
"She is very sweet to look at, but even sweeter to know"

Howard, Joan

Belmontian Club 2, 3; French Club 2
AMBITION: Kathleen Dell
PET PEEVE: 8:30-2:00
"You can never call her flipper, You can never call her prim; Always full of cheerfulness And always full of vim."

Hinckley, Grace

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Girl Reserves 1; Spanish Club 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 2; Photography Club 2
AMBITION: To make people happy
PET PEEVE: People who argue
"The law of kindness is on her tongue"

Hughes, Agnes "Brownie"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Red Cross 1, 2; Girl Reserves 1; Latin Club 1
AMBITION: Nurse
PET PEEVE: Latin class
"Her soft and gentle glances show Her ready sympathy with woe"

Hopkins, Wiliiam "Bill"

Bookworms 3
AMBITION: To graduate
PET PEEVE: The Army
"Oh could I crown my thoughts with acts"

Hughes, Robert "California"

AMBITION: 1st mate in U. S. M. S.
PET PEEVE: Being called Limey
"The sparkle of his roving eye"

Hosmer, Ann P. "Scotty"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Yearbook typist; Bookworms 3; Forum 3
AMBITION: Medical secretary
PET PEEVE: Walking up Common Street
"Quietly and cheerfully she goes from day to day"

Hurley, Robert "Herk"

AMBITION: Boston College
PET PEEVE: Getting up in the morning
"Dear Robert with the brindled hair"

Husband, Jessie "Jess"

Riding Club 1; French Club 1, 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 1; Dramatic Club 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3;
AMBITION: Peter Bent Brigham Hospital Training School
PET PEEVE: Rainy days
"Then she will talk,
Ye gods, how she will talk!"

Jefferson, Norma "Jeff"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Debating Club 1, 2; Junior Red Cross 1, 2, 3; Bookworms 3
AMBITION: Dietitian
PET PEEVE: Being called "Little Jeff"
Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Jun-
"Which of us is ever deaf
To the spell of Little Jeff"

Illsley, Ruth "Ruthie"

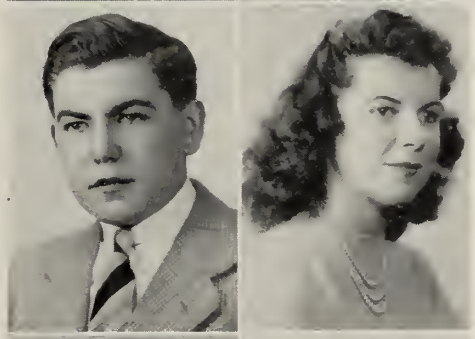
A Cappella Choir 1
AMBITION: Secretary
PET PEEVE: Gum snappers
"She's got a smile that makes the Lilacs want to grow"

Jenkins, Evelyn "Evie'

ior Red Cross 1, 2; Basketball 1
AMBITION: To be a success
PET PEEVE: Schickelgruber, Shakespeare and Sinatra
"She goes through life doing good for many people"

Imposimato, Ernest "Misty"

Baseball 1; Wrestling 1; Football 1
AMBITION: Kill Hitler personally
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra
"Discretion is the better part of valor"

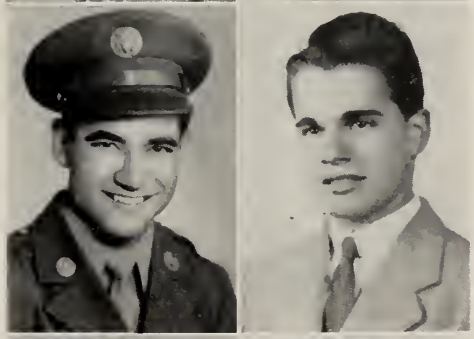


Johnson, Elizabeth "Betty"

Latin Club 1; French Club 2, 3; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Yearbook Committee 2
AMBITION: Skidmore College
PET PEEVE: Sarcastic people
"Please don't take my sunshine away"

Ingeneri, Ben "The Sheik"

Wrestling 2
AMBITION: Wear civilian clothes again
PET PEEVE: Hitler and Hirohito
"I think that I shall never like
To walk, to march, but most, to hike!"



Johnson, F. David "Looper"

Student Council 1; National Honor Society 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Wrestling 1; Spanish Club (President) 3; Senior Play Committee 3; Football 3; Hockey 3; Senior Honor Group
AMBITION: A certain blond
PET PEEVE: Fords
"Weep no more my ladies, weep no more"

Jackson, Marian E. "Jackie"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Band 1; Junior Red Cross 3; Bookworms 3;
AMBITION: Secretary
PET PEEVE: Dirty trays
"Friendly, docile, soft and mild"

Jopling, Barbara "Jop"

Belmontian Club 1, 3; Latin Club 2, 3; French Club 2, 3; Forum Club 3; Senior Play 3; Dramatic Club 3; Yearbook Committee 3; Music Club 3
AMBITION: City Editor of N. Y. "Times"
PET PEEVE: 6c for chocolate milk
"The weary listener seeks anew
For some plain statement or enlightening clue"

Jordan, Richard "Dick"

Spanish Club 2, 3; Class Day Committee 2; Dramatic Club 3; Senior Play 3
AMBITION: Dartmouth
PET PEEVE: Study halls
*"Long and lean
Like a chili bean"*

Kimball, Janet "Jan"

Dramatic Club 1, 2; Camera Club 1
AMBITION: Stephens College
PET PEEVE: "Sheep's clothing!"
"She's as pretty as the morning and refreshing as the rain"

Kane, Paul H. "Abe"

Football 1
AMBITION: Radio technician
PET PEEVE: Bragging
*"The girls are always feign to gain
A smile from Kane"*

Kimball, Virginia "Ginnie"

Girl Reserves 1; Junior Red Cross 3
AMBITION: Cadet Nurse Corps
PET PEEVE: Being called "Shorty"
"I'm not only speechless, but I'd also like to say—"

Kearns, Eileen "Ei"

Belmontian Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; Bookworms 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Senior Play Committee 3
PET PEEVE: My kid brother
AMBITION: To breed thoroughbred dogs
"I left my heart with a girl called Eileen"

King, George

AMBITION: Armed forces
PET PEEVE: Homework
"A king without a crown"

Kearns, Natalie "Nat," "Nan"

Belmontian Club 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Spanish Club 3; Bookworms 3; Senior Play Committee 3; Dramatic Club 3
AMBITION: Commercial artist
PET PEEVE: People who whistle or sing in your ear when dancing
"Joy dances in her dark eyes"

Knowland, Richard "Dick"

Photography Club 1; Junior Rotarian 3
AMBITION: Navy
PET PEEVE: Gym
"Heart-whole and soul-free"

Keegan, Mary Elizabeth "Betty"

Debating Club 1; Latin Club 1; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 1, 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3; National Honor Society 2, 3 (Secretary); Forum Club 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Senior Play Committee 3 (Chairman); Senior Play 3; Honorary member of Belmont Woman's Club 3; D. A. R. Representative 3
AMBITION: College
PET PEEVE: Fourflushers
*"Her friends—they are many.
Her foes—are there any?"*

Knowland, Thomas "Timmy"

Ski Club 1; Photography Club 2
AMBITION: Engineer
PET PEEVE: Coffee
*"The brightest candle, the brightest light,
Is held by the man waging liberty's fight"*

Koehnline, Hazel

Latin Club 1; Spanish Club 2, 3; Belmontian Club 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Dramatic Club 3

AMBITION: To be a naval officer's wife

PET PEEVE: The way people pronounce my last name

'Let beauty awake for beauty's sake and then rule queen forever"

Kohler, Jean

Latin Club 1; French Club 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Honorary member of Belmont Woman's Club 3; Yearbook Committee 3; Class Day Committee 3; Senior Honor Group

AMBITION: Simmons College

PET PEEVE: "School days"

"Complexion fair, smart, good-looking and débonnaire"

Kronenberg, Edith Ann "Sis"

Junior Red Cross 1, 2, 3; Latin Club 1; Tennis Club 1; French Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3 (Treasurer); Belmontian Club 2, 3 (Vice-President)

AMBITION: College

PET PEEVE: Coming to school on rainy days

"And her sunny locks hung on her temples like a golden fleece"

Kruse, George

Soccer 1, 2, 3; Tennis 1, 2, 3; French Club 1, 2, 3; Latin Club 1, 2; Forum Club (President) Music Club 3; Senior Honor Group

AMBITION: Engineer

PET PEEVE: Bothersome neighbors

"And so I looked, and, after all, The sky was not so very tall"

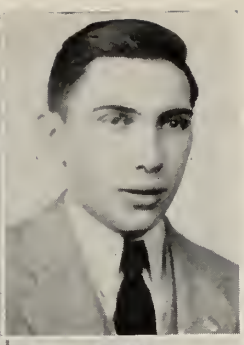
Larmour, John "Toujour L'amour"

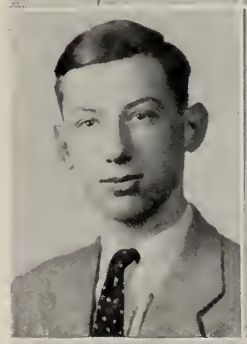
Football 1 (Ass't Manager); Photography Club 1, 2; Yearbook Committee 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Bookworms 3

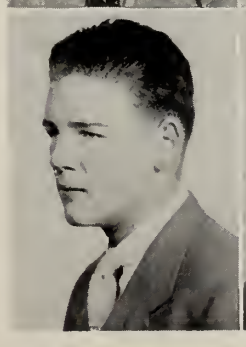
AMBITION: To be first in line for lunch just once

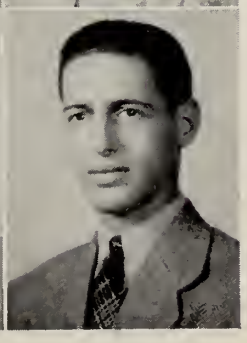
PET PEEVE: A certain traffic cop in B. H. S.'s corridors

"Will women always make him run
Between the thunder and the sun?"









La Rosa, Robert "Bob"

Soccer 1; Bookworms 3

AMBITION: U. S. Navy

PET PEEVE: Women teachers

"A rose by any other name would smell as sweet"

Lepore, Louis "Louie"

Bookworms 3

AMBITION: Marines

PET PEEVE: Not long enough gym period

"And watch the rest of the world go by"

Lewis, Elsie "Els"

Belmontian Club 3

AMBITION: Secretary

PET PEEVE: Dirty cafeteria trays

"How can she be so very sweet And at the same time so petite?"

Littlefield, Barbara "Barby"

Belmontian Club 1; Junior Red Cross 2; Latin Club 2; French Club 2

AMBITION: To retire permanently to Maine rather than retread annually

PET PEEVE: People who blow their horns when I have a perfectly good doorbell

"The sweetest girl of all the girls I know"

Locke, Sydney "Syd the Kid"

Orchestra 1; French Club 1; Dramatic Club 3

AMBITION: To graduate

PET PEEVE: Writing physics experiments

"His aspiration is graduation; He'll get there with perspiration"

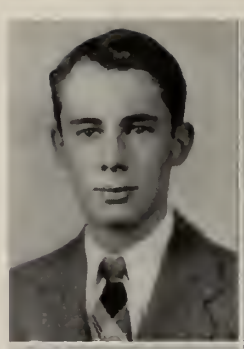
Lynn, William "Winkie"

Soccer 1; Basketball 1 (Manager) 2, 3; Baseball 1; Hi-Y 1

AMBITION: To go to Annapolis

PET PEEVE: Neckties

"Morpheus, Thou knowest him well, the god of sleep"



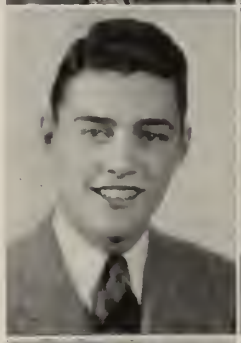
Lyons, John J., Jr. "Jay Jay"

Track 3; Football Manager 3; Basketball 3; Student Council 3 (Vice-President); Senior Banquet 3; Graduation Committee 3

AMBITION: United States Diplomatic Service

PET PEEVE: Will he ever forget Arlington?

"All the world's a jest;
I thought so once,
And now I know it"



Macaulay, Marion "Mac"

Field Hockey 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 1; Belmontian Club 3

AMBITION: Sargent College

PET PEEVE: Never having my last name spelled right

"A pair of roguish eyes on her merry face"

MacGown, Edward "Mac"

Hi-Y 1; Forum Club 3

AMBITION: U. S. Army Air Corps

PET PEEVE: Long live dear old Maine

"With friends so near, foes disappear"

MacLeod, Kenyon "Kenny"

Football 1; Student Council 1; Track 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Yearbook Committee 3; Senior Banquet 3

AMBITION: Forestry

PET PEEVE: Girls that think they can sing

"And the devil looked over his shoulder,
And said, 'Clever, but is it art?' "

MacLeod, Marjorie "Mac," "Red"

Belmontian Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 3

AMBITION: Cadet Nurse Corps

PET PEEVE: Whiffles

"Elfin and human, airy and true"

MacPherson, Frank "Mac"

Baseball 1; Cross-country 1; Hi-Y 1; Student Council 3 (Treasurer); Dramatic Club 3

AMBITION: M. I. T.

PET PEEVE: Oomph girls

"The place for school books is school"

Mahony, Maura "Moe"

Ski Club 1; Student Council 1, 2; Sophomore Class President; Junior Class Vice-President; Tennis Club 1, 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Prom Committee 3; Junior Red Cross 3

AMBITION: Vassar College

PET PEEVE: High school "puppy love"

"How doth the little busy bee improve each shining hour?"

Malone, Eileen "Mike"

Belmontian Club 3; Dramatic Club 3; Junior Red Cross 3

AMBITION: Chamberlain School

PET PEEVE: Having to be in at 12:00

"A cute little bundle, tied with a giggle"

Mannix, Marjorie "Margie"

Belmontian Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 2; French Club 2; Junior Red Cross 3; Class Day Committee 3

AMBITION: Medical secretary

PET PEEVE: Rainy days

"I've got a date with an angel"

Marciano, Frances "Frannie"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 1, 2; Junior Red Cross 1, 2; Belmontian Club Play and Christmas play 1; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Prom Committee 2

AMBITION: The Massachusetts School of Art

PET PEEVE: Lawn mowers in the early morning

"One cannot resist tipping his heart to her"

Marobella, Eleanor "El"

Junior Red Cross 3

AMBITION: To be a good nurse

PET PEEVE: Younger sisters

"Sincerity is reflected by her every action"

Marsh, Marion "Slug"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1, 2; Operetta 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Badminton 1; A Cappella Choir 1; Softball 2

AMBITION: To be a nurse and then a doctor

PET PEEVE: One's as bad as another

"Marshall your forces; she's never outdone;
Here comes a Valkyrie, our own Marion"

Martino, Josephine "Jo"

AMBITION: Bookkeeper

PET PEEVE: Oral book reports

"A nature that's beautiful, gentle, serene"

Maurer, Mary

Badminton 1; French Club 1; Spanish Club 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Belmontian Club 3

AMBITION: Emmanuel College

PET PEEVE: People who are late for appointments

"A friend to have and to hold"

Mazzeo, James J. "2 Ton"

Football 2

AMBITION: Navy radioman

PET PEEVE: To shave

"That wonderful hunk of—"

Mazzuchelli, Rose "Rosie"

Bookworms 3

AMBITION: Telephone operator

PET PEEVE: Gym

"A friend to all who need her"

McCarthy, Bernard "Mac"

Football 1, 2 (Manager); Baseball 1; Hockey 3

AMBITION: Air Corps

PET PEEVE: School

"Happy as a clam at high tide"

McCarthy, Robert "Mac"

Boy's Tennis 1; French Club 2

AMBITION: Tech

PET PEEVE: Sophomores

"A sociable boy with an affable grin"

McCormack, Paul "Pee Wee"

Football 1, 2, 3; Wrestling 1, 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Hockey 3

AMBITION: To graduate from B. H. S.

PET PEEVE: Smoking cigars

"No danger from too much of a good thing"

McCormick, Jane "Janie"

Dramatic Club 1, 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 3
AMBITION: To be successful
PET PEEVE: Black cats
"Always happy, never sad, all good, no bad"

McKenzie, Marian "Mac"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Debating Club 1; Junior Red Cross 1, 2; Latin Club 2; Spanish Club 3; Basketball 3; Softball 3
AMBITION: Middlebury College
PET PEEVE: Cows
"Such sublimity of wit,
How I wish I could possess it"

McCormick, Robert G.

Track 2; Football 2
"You cannot faze in many ways
His steady gaze"

McLean, Theresa "Tess"

French Club 2
AMBITION: Private secretary
PET PEEVE: Horses
"Neigh! Neigh!"

McDonald, Jean

Belmontian Club 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; Prom Committee 2; Junior Red Cross 3
AMBITION: College
PET PEEVE: People who are always late!
"A sweet personality, full of rascality"

Meehan, Priscilla

Latin Club 1, 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3
AMBITION: To be a success
PET PEEVE: Going to school
"Happy and carefree, blythe and gay"

McDougall, Ann "Mac"

Ski Club 1; Junior Red Cross 2, 3; Spanish Club 3
AMBITION: Army Nurse Corps
PET PEEVE: Certain people
"Happiness is easiest to find for those who create it"

Melanson, Doris "Dottie"

Girl Reserves 1
AMBITION: Secretary
PET PEEVE: Girls wearing high heels with slacks
"Common sense is an uncommon thing"

McGuinness, Marjorie

Girl Reserves 1; Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1; Bookworms 3
AMBITION: To get ahead in the world
PET PEEVE: Teachers who give lots and lots of homework
"Ever quiet, calm and cool"

Merrihew, Anne Joy "Annie"

French Club 1; Junior Red Cross 1, 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3
AMBITION: To be independent
PET PEEVE: Social climbing girls
"Her words are cushioned with laughter"

Miller, Nancy

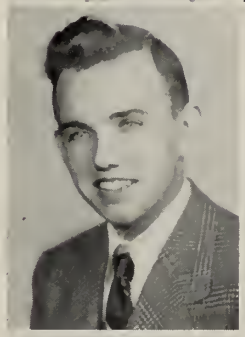
Pelmontian Club 1, 3; Ski Club 1; Badminton Club 1; Tennis Club 1; Spanish Club 1; Class Day Decoration Committee 2; Bookworms 3; Junior Red Cross 3; Dramatic Club 3
AMBITION: Navy nurse
PET PEEVE: Caterpillars
"And faith might for her mirror hold
That eye of steady blue"

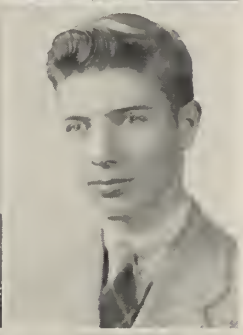
Mulloy, Henry F., Jr. "Hank"

Football 2
AMBITION: Civil engineer
"Where there's a will
There's a way"

Mills, James "Jimmy"

Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; Soccer 2; Student Council 2
AMBITION: To get a date with O. V.
PET PEEVE: Belmontian Day
"The funniest thing about him is the way he likes to grow"



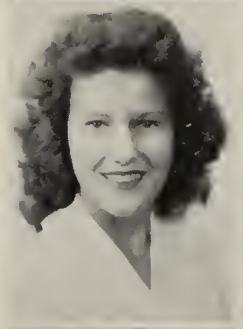


Munroe, Bradford "Brad"

Bookworms 3; Dramatic Club 3
PET PEEVE: Gas coupons
"True to his work, his word and friends"

Mixer, Constance "Connie"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1; Tennis 1; Spanish Club 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 2, 3; French Club 2
AMBITION: Future happiness and success
PET PEEVE: People without a sense of humor
"Is everybody happy?"

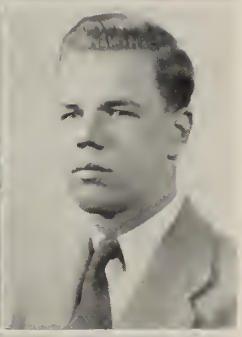


Murphy, Katharine "Kay"

French Club 3
AMBITION: Jackson College
"And the various things she knows,
Goodness knows"

Morrison, Sybil

Latin Club 1; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Bookworms 2; Spanish Club 3
AMBITION: Nurse Cadet Corps
"A merrie heart maketh a glad countenance"



Murray, Robert "Bob"

Football 1, 2; Junior Rotarian 3
AMBITION: Diesel School
PET PEEVE: Third lunch
"Ever he will sadly munch
In the furor of third lunch"

Moulton, Beverley "Bev," "Bevie"

A Cappella Choir 1
AMBITION: Waves
PET PEEVE: Girls with straight hair
"Be wise worldly, and not worldly wise"

Nix, Harriet

Junior Red Cross 1, 2; Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Latin Club 1; French Club 2, 3; Bookworms 2
AMBITION: Jackson College
PET PEEVE: Umbrellas
"A winning smile is her 'open sesame' at every door"

Nugent, Walter "Joe"

Ambition: Millionaire
Pet Peeve: Neckties ! ! !
"Live and let learn"

Nuzum, Kathryn "Kay"

Spanish Club 2; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Senior Play Committee 3; Belmontian Club 3
Ambition: Commercial artist
Pet Peeve: Cracking gum in movies
"Her pretty face
Is but her least and lowest grace"

Nylander, Jean "Jeanie"

Junior Red Cross 3
Ambition: A member of the Waves
Pet Peeve: Haughty people
"True sincerity needs no witness to prove its presence"

Oberlander, Ralph "Obie"

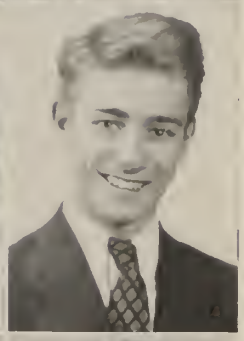
Ambition: To get into Marines
Pet Peeve: Women teachers
"Wisely and slowly; they stumble that run fast"

O'Brien, Ann

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 1; Junior Red Cross 1, 3; Girl Reserves 1; Basketball 1; Latin Club 2; Class Day Committee 2; Senior Class Treasurer; Dramatic Club 3
Ambition: To be happy
Pet Peeve: Frank Finigan
"You see a smile, a moment after,
She will ring with girlish laughter"

O'Brien, Elizabeth "Betty"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 1, 2; Softball 1, 2; Field Hockey 2; Basketball 2, 3; French Club 3
Ambition: Nurse
Pet Peeve: People who borrow homework papers
"Nimble of foot, like the deer,
And kind of heart, like the dove"



O'Brien, William "O'B"

Baseball 1; Basketball 2; Track 2, 3; Soccer 3
Ambition: Notre Dame
Pet Peeve: Frank Sinatra
"When there's a Will, there's a way"

O'Callaghan, Eileen

Belmontian Club 1, 2; Latin Club 1; Girl Reserves 1
Ambition: Navy nurse
Pet Peeve: Conceited boys
"Put away your mirrors, boys; she hates conceited males"

O'Hare, Ann

Ski Club 1; Basketball 1; Badminton 1; Spanish Club 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3; French Club 2; Class Day Decorations 2; Student Council 3; Junior Red Cross 3
Ambition: To own a "convertible"
Pet Peeve: "Damp" weather
"Hail to thee, blithe spirit"

Olsen, Jeanne Florence

Girl Reserves 1; Dramatic Club 1, 3; Bookworms 3; Senior Play 3
Ambition: To travel
Pet Peeve: "Catty" people
"Trusty, dusky, vivid, true,
With azure eyes and heart so true"

Olson, Vivian Anna "Viv"

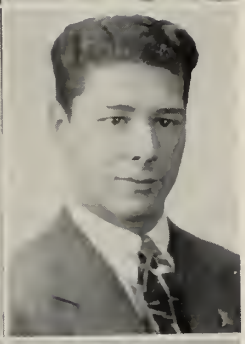
Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Student Council 3; Bookworms 3; Red Cross 3
AMBITION: To be a success
PET PEEVE: Alarm clock
"Hers is more than a smile; It's a sonata"

Pelletier, Jeanne

Spanish Club 2, 3; Belmontian Club 3; Junior Red Cross 3
AMBITION: Commercial art
PET PEEVE: The "so-called" sophisticated girls
"Sophistication — the mystification of the male"

Oltmans, Marilyn N. "Merry"

Band 1; A Cappella Choir 2; Belmontian Club 2; Dramatic Club 2; French Club 3
AMBITION: Wheaton College, Illinois
PET PEEVE: Onions
"A modest, unassuming maid"

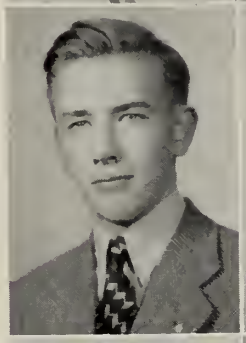


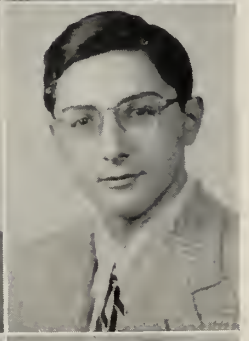
Perry, Robert "Bob"

AMBITION: Flyer
PET PEEVE: Waid Studio
"Just give me room, that's all"

Osterberg, Donald "Don"

Track 1, 2; Soccer 1, 2, 3; French Club 3; Dramatic Club 3
AMBITION: Doctor
PET PEEVE: People who don't like Bing Crosby
"Though he's little, he's fierce"



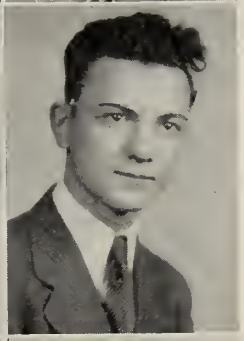


Picariello, John "Picky"

Latin Club 1; French Club 1, 2, 3 (Vice-President); Dramatic Club 3; Senior Play 3; Spanish Club 3
AMBITION: To be rich
PET PEEVE: Girls
"In person, dark and lean"

Oteri, Dorothy "Dot"

Red Cross 1; Bookworms 2; Spanish Club 3; Badminton Club 3
AMBITION: To be a success
PET PEEVE: Homework
"Dark eyes divine, gazing into mine"



Pizzi, Edmund "Eddy"

AMBITION: Electrician
PET PEEVE: Women
"Oh would that work I might shun
That I might do a bit or none!"

Pelletier, Dolores "Dee"

Bookworms 3
AMBITION: Secretary
PET PEEVE: Oral talks
"Her nature is valued above gold"

Pizzi, Filomena "Phil"

Spanish Club 1; Junior Red Cross 1; A Cappella Choir 2; Bookworms 3
AMBITION: Personnel manager in store
PET PEEVE: Bow ties on 'fellas'
"Her bearing was modest and fair"

Polak, Isabel "Iss"

Junior Red Cross 1, 3; Girl Reserves 1; Belmontian Club 3
AMBITION: To travel
PET PEEVE: Oral talks
"With her looks so calm and her eyes so expressive"

Porter, Alice "Al"

Latin Club 1, 2; Spanish Club 1, 2, 3 (Vice President); Field Hockey 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2; Class Day Committee 2, 3; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Yearbook Committee 3
AMBITION: To have some
PET PEEVE: Rainy week-ends
"A look composed and steady eyes
Bespeak a matchless constancy"

Price, Raymond "Bud"

Band 1; Track 1, 2, 3
AMBITION: Marine Corps
PET PEEVE: Two-faced women and a jealous man
"Every feature has the power
To aid the expression of the hour"

Puffer, Harriet L. "Polly"

Latin Club 1; French Club 1, 2; Junior Red Cross 1, 2, 3; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Cheerleader 3
AMBITION: Nurse
PET PEEVE: Breakfasts
"Everybody likes something different;
We aim to please"

Quigley, Ann "Babe"

French Club 1, 2, 3; Photography Club 1; Spanish Club 1; Dramatic Club 2, 3; Senior Play 3
AMBITION: To travel over Europe
PET PEEVE: People who blow smoke in my face
"Of delicate visage and slender frame,
Is there another quite the same?"

Quinn, John "Cohen"

Track 1, 2, 3; Soccer 3
AMBITION: To pass in a math paper on time
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra
"Time's a-wasting"

Ray, Edna "Eddy"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Girl Reserves 1; Cheerleader 3
AMBITION: Never a dull moment
PET PEEVE: Smoking
"Be good, sweet maid
And let who will be clever"

Ray, George "Flash"

Soccer 2, 3
AMBITION: To graduate
PET PEEVE: Women
"Let delight
But crown the night
And care bring her clouds tomorrow"

Ricci, Norma

Latin Club 1, 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3; French Club 2, 3 (Secretary); National Honor Society 2, 3; Honorary Member of Woman's Club 3; Senior Honor Group
AMBITION: Simmons College
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra
"Diligence sets its own reward"

Rice, Nancy "Nan"

Spanish Club 2; Belmontian Club 3
AMBITION: To be a model
PET PEEVE: Conceited people
"Miss Happy-go-lucky"
May it ever be so"

Rico, H. Paul "Ric"

Football 2, 3
AMBITION: To come back and find everything the way I left it
PET PEEVE: Cards
"A form more active, light and strong
Ne'er shot the ranks of war along"

Riley, Keith Louis "Foghorn"

Junior Red Cross 2
AMBITION: Merchant Marines
PET PEEVE: Fickle girls
"He who associates with wolves
Will learn to howl"

Rizzo, Carmela "Mel"

Spanish Club 2, 3; Yearbook typist 3
AMBITION: To graduate
PET PEEVE: Sarcastic teachers
"Nothing so tranquil, nothing so calm
"As sereneness of nature that serves as a balm"

Robinson, Alden "Aldy"

Band 1, 2; Soccer 1, 2
"Please reserve a place for me
Somewhere on your army ski"
U. S. Army

Rooney, Jean "Jeannie"

Junior Red Cross 1, 2, 3; French Club 1; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Yearbook Committee 2; Sadie Hawkins' Day Committee 3; Spirit Dance Committee 3; Spanish Club 3
AMBITION: College
PET PEEVE: Conceited people
"All day she's gay
As a jay in May"

Roper, Julia "Julie"

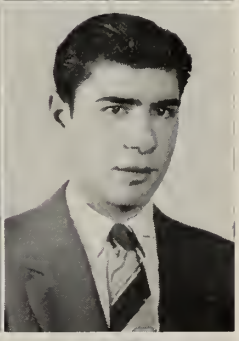
French Club 1; Student Council 1; Latin Club 1 (Aedile), 2 (Consul); Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Spanish Club 2, 3; Class Day Committee 2; Yearbook Editor 3
AMBITION: College
PET PEEVE: Sinatra swooners
"And all astir looked kind on her
And called her good as fair"

Rougvie, Janet

Belmontian Club 2, 3; Latin Club 2; French Club 3
AMBITION: College
PET PEEVE: Walking under a railroad bridge when there is a train going over
"A good sport is always welcome"

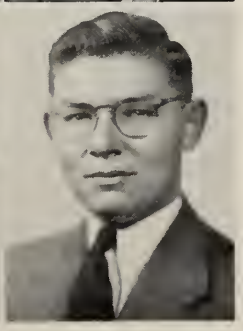
Scammell, Harold "Sleepy Jr."

Printing Club 1, 2, 3; Soccer 3; Hockey 3
AMBITION: Navy or Seabees
PET PEEVE: Women
"The sky's the limit"



Scarfo, James "Jimmie"

Spanish Club 1; Printing Club 1, 2
AMBITION: U. S. Navy
PET PEEVE: 8:30 bell
"Great oaks from little acorns grow"



Schmalz, Carl N. "Dick"

Latin Club 2 (Aedile); National Honor Society 2, 3; Class Day Committee 2; Junior Rotarian 3; Music Club 3; Yearbook Committee 3; Senior Honor Group
AMBITION: To travel
PET PEEVE: Glum pictures
"Just treat life right
and life will be—
just as usual"

Schmidt, Mary Ann "Jerry, Red"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Riding Club 1; French Club 1; Ski Club 1; Spanish Club 2; Class Day Committee 2

AMBITION: Airline hostess

PET PEEVE: Getting up on school mornings

"She is always happy
Who makes others that way"

Schmidt, Nancy Ann "Nan"

Band 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Shelter Kits 2; Basketball 3

AMBITION: Oberlin

PET PEEVE: People who call me Nancy Ann

"Cheeks that are rosy and eyes that are blue"

Scholl, William "Crusher"

Wrestling 1, 2; German Club 2, 3; Bookworms (President)

AMBITION: Wrestle the Angel

PET PEEVE: Neckties

"That Atlas course does wonders for a man"

Severance, George "Wyoming"

Cross Country 2; Bookworms 2

AMBITION: Radio operator in Merchant Marine

PET PEEVE: Girls that wear slacks

"What did the Anvil say to the forge?
"The strongest will is the will of George"

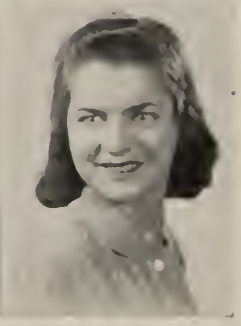
Shaughnessy, Daniel "Mel"

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Golf 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1

AMBITION: Pilot in the Army Air Corps

PET PEEVE: Women

"Every day's a holiday"



Shipman, Virginia "Ginny"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Student Council 1; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 1; French Club 2, 3

AMBITION: To write a best seller

PET PEEVE: Rainy days

"Her kindness and her worth to spy
You need but gaze in Ginny's eye"

Shirley, John "Jack"

Student Council 2

AMBITION: Dentist

PET PEEVE: Alarm clocks that don't go off on time

"When I am grown to man's estate,
I shall be very proud and great"

Sibley, Joan "Sib"

Latin Club 1; Junior Red Cross 1, 2 (Secretary), 3 (Senior Representative); Belmontian Club 2, 3 (Secretary); Yearbook Committee 2; Dramatic Club 3; French Club 3

AMBITION: To see the end of the war

PET PEEVE: The food in the cafeteria

"If friends were gold, her pockets would be bulging"

Simm, Miriam "Bea"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 1; Latin Club 1; Band 1, 2; Junior Red Cross 2, 3

AMBITION: Connecticut College

PET PEEVE: Rainy days

"With ever present mirth"

Sloan, Constance "Connie"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Riding Club 1; French Club 1, 2, 3; Latin Club 2

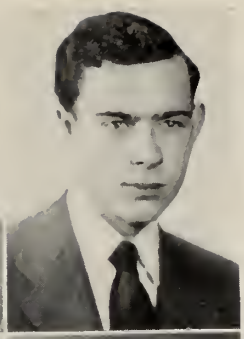
AMBITION: To see B. H. S. win a football game

PET PEEVE: Boys who are late for a date

"Should I believe my heart or you?"

Smallcombe, David "Dave"

Track 1; Football 2
AMBITION: To go to Harvard
PET PEEVE: Gym
"The will to do, the soul to dare"

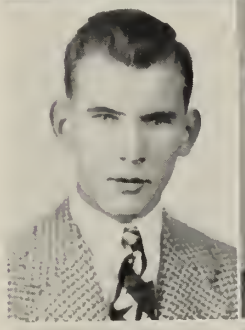


South, George

AMBITION: To be a writer
PET PEEVE: Getting up in the morning
"The open truth and fiery vehemence of youth"

Smith, Albert "Al"

Baseball 1; Soccer 1; Student Council 1, 2
AMBITION: U. S. Marines
PET PEEVE: Getting up in the morning
"The raw material in the mold,
For the making of man
Is more precious than gold"



Staples, Bradbury C. "Brad"

Baseball 1; Wrestling 1; Student Council 1; Track 2; History Club 2
AMBITION: To help win this war as soon as possible
PET PEEVE: Chief Petty Officers
"Care is not the waiter
Behind this fellow's chair"

Smith, Joseph "Joe"

Student Council 3; Dramatic Club 3; Senior Play 3
AMBITION: Draftsman
PET PEEVE: Girls who have to be in at 12 o'clock
"I love to be among the lassies"

Stauffer, Doris "Doe"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2; Junior Red Cross 2, 3; Spanish Club 3; Cheer Leader 3; Yearbook Committee 2
AMBITION: Colby Jr. College
PET PEEVE: "Kid brothers" on Saturday nights
"Love is just a game
But two can play"

Smith, Merle

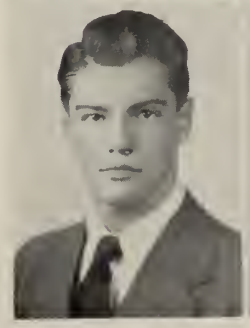
U. S. Army
"Swift on his errands he goes"

Sterling, Margaret Helen "Peg"

AMBITION: To graduate
PET PEEVE: Baby voices—stringy hair
"Stands, and is content to view"

Smith, Robert

AMBITION: Doctor
PET PEEVE: Disease
"How busy life would be to live
If we had his initiative!"



Stewart, Alan "Stewie"

Band 1, 2; Chemical Warfare 2; Wrestling 2
AMBITION: Northeastern (Army Engineers)
PET PEEVE: Drill sergeants
"An upright, downright, honest man"

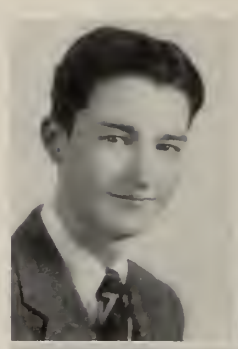
Stoddard, William "Bill"

Dramatic Club 1; Photography Club 1; Yearbook Committee 3

AMBITION: Radio

PET PEEVE: Dirty floors

"A quiet man accomplishes much"

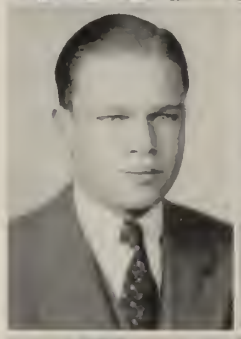


Sullivan, John J. "Sully"

AMBITION: Engineer

PET PEEVE: Homework

"The long and boring practice of going to school"



Sutherland, Lila "Lee"

Bookworms 3

AMBITION: Nurse

PET PEEVE: Gym

"Her laughter-lighted eyes"

Swanbon, Stanley "Krack"

AMBITION: Engineer

PET PEEVE: Sand in your shoes

"He that is slow to anger is of great understanding"

Symonds, Joseph "Jofer"

AMBITION: Telephone

PET PEEVE: Red heads 7

"The sight of youth with flag unfurled
Will touch the heart of all the world"

Symonds, Walter "Bud"

Hockey 1, 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 1; Golf 2

AMBITION: Navy Air Corps

"He will never, ever falter,
Gib is what describes our Walter"

Thomas, Barbara "Bobbie"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; Junior Red Cross 1, 2; Basketball 1; Girl Reserves 1

AMBITION: To retire

PET PEEVE: Ruthie's fingernails

"Light of heart and bright of face"

Thomas, Ruth "Ruthie"

Chorus 1, 2, 3; French Club 1; Spanish Club 2; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1; Belmontian Club 2, 3; Senior Play 3; Senior Play Committee 3

AMBITION: Powers model

PET PEEVE: People who think I'm stuck up because I can't see them without my glasses

"Gentle as a breeze that whispers through the trees"

Thompson, Jacynth "Jackie"

Student Council 1, 3 (Secretary); Basketball 1; A Cappella Choir 1, 2; Orchestra 1; Spanish Club 2, 3 (Secretary); Belmontian Club 2, 3; French Club 3; Sadie Hawkins' Day Committee 3; Senior Honor Group

AMBITION: To own a Star sloop

PET PEEVE: Conceited people and "June in January"

"Oh, could you capture the melody of every grace and music of her face"

Toomey, William "Bill"

Football 1, 2, 3; Sophomore Vice-President; Junior Class Treasurer; Hockey 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3

AMBITION: To graduate

PET PEEVE: Taller sophomores and juniors

"The man I think original
Is one whose talk is never dull"

Travia, Catherine
Spanish Club 1; Honorary member of the Belmont Woman's Club 3; Senior Honor Group
AMBITION: Secretary
PET PEEVE: Homework
"There is gold and abundance of rubies
But the lips of knowledge are a precious jewel"

Tucker, John "Tuck"
Senior Banquet 3; Cap and Gown Committee 3
AMBITION: To become an officer in the U. S. N.
PET PEEVE: Cracker crumbs in a bed
"Where's the laughter that shook the rafter?
Where's the rafter, by the way?"

Tufts, Dorothy "Dot"
Dramatic Club 1, 2; French Club 1, 2; Latin Club 2
AMBITION: Nurse
PET PEEVE: School
"Peace, it's wonderful"

Tufts, William "Willie"
Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3 (Co-Capt.); Student Council 1; Track 1, 2, 3 (Captain)
AMBITION: Coach
PET PEEVE: Frank Sinatra
"Comb down his hair,—
Look, look!
It stands upright"

Turner, Nancie "Nan"
Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3 (Membership Committee); Junior Red Cross 1, 3; Class Day Committee 2, 3; French Club 2, 3; Honorary member of Belmont Woman's Club 3; Ring Committee 3; Spanish Club 3; Senior Banquet 3
AMBITION: Social service worker
PET PEEVE: Rainy weather
"For if she will, she will, and you may depend on't,
And if she won't, she won't, and there's an end on't"

Turner, Virginia "Ginny"
Junior Red Cross 1; Bookworms 1; Senior Play Committee 3
AMBITION: Commercial artist or interior decorator
PET PEEVE: To be patted on the head (reminds me of a loyal dog)
"Man's best friend"

Union, Fred "Scoot"
French Club 1
AMBITION: To bowl 400
PET PEEVE: Girls that smoke
"Don't do today
What can be put off 'til tomorrow"

Vantura, Olga "Van"
Junior Red Cross 1; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; French Club 2, 3; Belmontian Club 2, 3
AMBITION: To be a teacher
PET PEEVE: Dirty cafeteria trays
"Her smile could surpass the lily or rose,
With a very sweet mouth and a retroussé nose"

Vogel, William "Red"
AMBITION: Draftsman
PET PEEVE: Homework
"I'm getting tired so I can sleep—"

Walsh, Jacqueline "Jackie"
Junior Red Cross 2, 3; Bookworms 3; Cheerleader 3; Cap and Gown Committee 3
AMBITION: Chandler Business School
PET PEEVE: Day report card comes out
"Lots of fun, lots of mirth
Always good, down to earth"

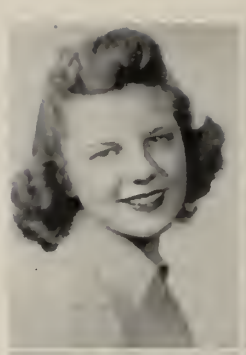
Ward, Gloria "Gussie"

Girl Reserves 1

AMBITION: Commercial pilot

PET PEEVE: Sideburns

"Sweetness and friendship
Just a perfect blendship"



Wiesner, Doris "Dot"

Badminton 1; Belmontian Club 2, 3; French Club 2, 3

AMBITION: To own my own car

PET PEEVE: Earrings with sport clothes

"Charm is her gift to please,
Quietly used and used with ease"

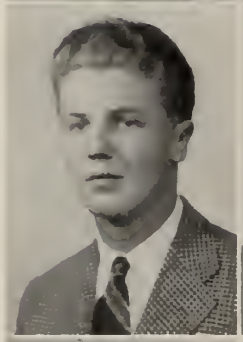
Warnock, William "Skip"

Spanish Club 1, 2, 3 National Honor Society 2, 3

AMBITION: Dartmouth

PET PEEVE: Girls who wear slacks

"The feminine interest must beware
Of that Warnock smile and wavy hair"



Wilder, George

Student Council 2; National Honor Society 2, 3; Senior Honor Group

AMBITION: To get to college through A 12

PET PEEVE: Mr. Wenner's exercises

"Knowledge is power"

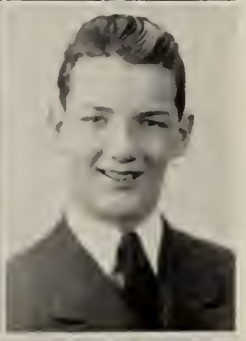
Weeden, Charlotte "Charl"

Girl Reserves 1; Belmontian Club 3

AMBITION: To travel

PET PEEVE: Vain people

"With placid face, with tranquil breath"



Williamson, Donald "Dusty"

AMBITION: To own a car not a model A

PET PEEVE: My draft board

"Oh, won't you just a moment tarry
And make our dull assemblage merry?"

Weichel, Dorothy "Dot"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3 (President); Student Council 1; Latin Club 1; Junior Red Cross 1, 2, 3; Riding Club 1; Ski Club 1; Secretary of Sophomore and Junior Class; Spanish Club 3

AMBITION: Occupational therapist

PET PEEVE: "Happy New Year" ? ?

"She's an angel in a frack
With a fascinating cock
Ta her nose"

Winters, Priscilla "Dilla"

Latin Club 1; Band 1, 2; Ski Club 1; Riding Club 1; Belmontians 2, 3; Bookworms 3; Red Cross 3

AMBITION: To fly a plane

PET PEEVE: Getting up in the morning

"The sunlight of good cheer
Illuminates her face"

Westergaard, Mary "Westy"

Latin Club 1, 2, 3 (Officer); French Club 2; Belmontian Club 2, 3 (Committee chairman); Forum Club 3; Honorary member of Belmont Woman's Club 3; Senior Honor Group

AMBITION: To win a sailing championship

"Mary, Mary, quite contrary"

Wiskind, June "Junie"

Latin Club 1; Belmontian Club 2, 3

AMBITION: Laboratory technician

PET PEEVE: Nags

"A pleasant smile and word for everyone"

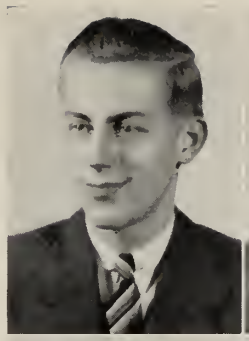
Wisnioski, Stanley, Jr. "Whiz"

Football 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Latin Club 1

AMBITION: To be successful in life

PET PEEVE: Studious sophomores

"What's a Sophomore? or rather, what's a studious?"



Woodfall, Robert "Chuck"

Junior Red Cross 1; Track 1, 2; Student Council 3

AMBITION: Join the Navy

PET PEEVE: First Aid

"Never trouble trouble
'Til trouble troubles you"

Witkowski, Helen Joan

French Club 1; Belmontian Club 2, 3

AMBITION: To become a lab technician

PET PEEVE: Noisy children

"A friend to all,
All are friends"

Woolaver, Kathryn "Kay"

Latin Club 1; Riding Club 1; Ski Club 2; Belmontian Club 3

AMBITION: Simmons College

PET PEEVE: Laryngitis

"The thought of her doth give our blood
A faster circulation"

Wolff, Sarita "Sue"

Latin Club 1

AMBITION: Jackson

PET PEEVE: Double talk

"And still they gazed and yet the wonder grew
That one small head could carry all she knew"

Young, Jeanne "Jay"

Belmontian Club 3; Spanish Club 3; French Club 3

AMBITION: Find out who put the overalls into Mrs. Murphy's chowder

PET PEEVE: Slacks and high heels

"Since we like to see things new
We're glad to see a Jay not blue"

Yphantis, Athena "Tina"

Belmontian Club 1, 2, 3; French Club 3; Girl Reserves 1

AMBITION: To get what I want

PET PEEVE: People who spread stories

"She's got a lot of
Oh! My! Oh!"

Azzone, Eleanor "Elie"

AMBITION: Marines
PET PEEVE: Mary Augustine
"Of her, we wish there could be more,
Tripping down the corridor"

Bacon, Elizabeth "Sunshine"

Girl Reserves 1; Junior Red Cross 1, 2; Bookworms 3
AMBITION: Nurse
PET PEEVE: Missing busses
"Blue were her eyes, as the fairy flax"

Colantuoni, Ido E. "Joe"

National Honor Society 2
AMBITION: Radioman
"I love them all; but I love—I love—
I love my country best"

Garfin, Leah "Lee"

Softball 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Field Hockey 1, 2; Latin Club 2; French Club 2, 3
AMBITION: To play jazz piano
PET PEEVE: "Sweet swing" orchestra
"Naughty and nice, sugar and spice"

Goldie, Maralyn "Lynn"

AMBITION: Massachusetts Art School
PET PEEVE: Fords
"Deep in a magic world I dwell;
A soul apart"

Messina, Mathew "Governor"

AMBITION: Army Air Corps
PET PEEVE: Homework
"Look before you leap, or anyway give it a glance"

Moore, Robert "Bob"

Student Council 1, 2, 3; Latin Club 1, 2; Dramatic Club 1, 2; Musical Comedy 1; Wrestling 1, 2; Football 1; A Cappella Choir 1, 2; French Club 1, 2; Track 3
AMBITION: Mayor of Waverley and its suburb, Belmont
PET PEEVE: You know ! !
"To be born with a gift of laughter and a sense that the world is mad"

Morrison, William Jr. "Bill"

AMBITION: To obtain wealth, power and position
"Certainty of purpose is a quality most rare"

Niles, Gerard "Jerry"

AMBITION: To graduate
"I'm a stranger here myself"

Perkins, Elaine "Laney"

Latin Club 3; French Club 3; Senior Honor Group
AMBITION: To own a helicopter
PET PEEVE: Loud sox and flashy ties
"A cheerful little earful
With a gleam in her eye"

Pregler, William "Billy"

AMBITION: To graduate in '44
PET PEEVE: School
"Slow to anger, but quick to act"

Restuccia, Marie "Baby"

AMBITION: Marine's wife
PET PEEVE: G. I. haircuts
"Whose ringlets dark
To shame might bring
The plumage of the raven's wing"

Selig, Arthur "Bud"

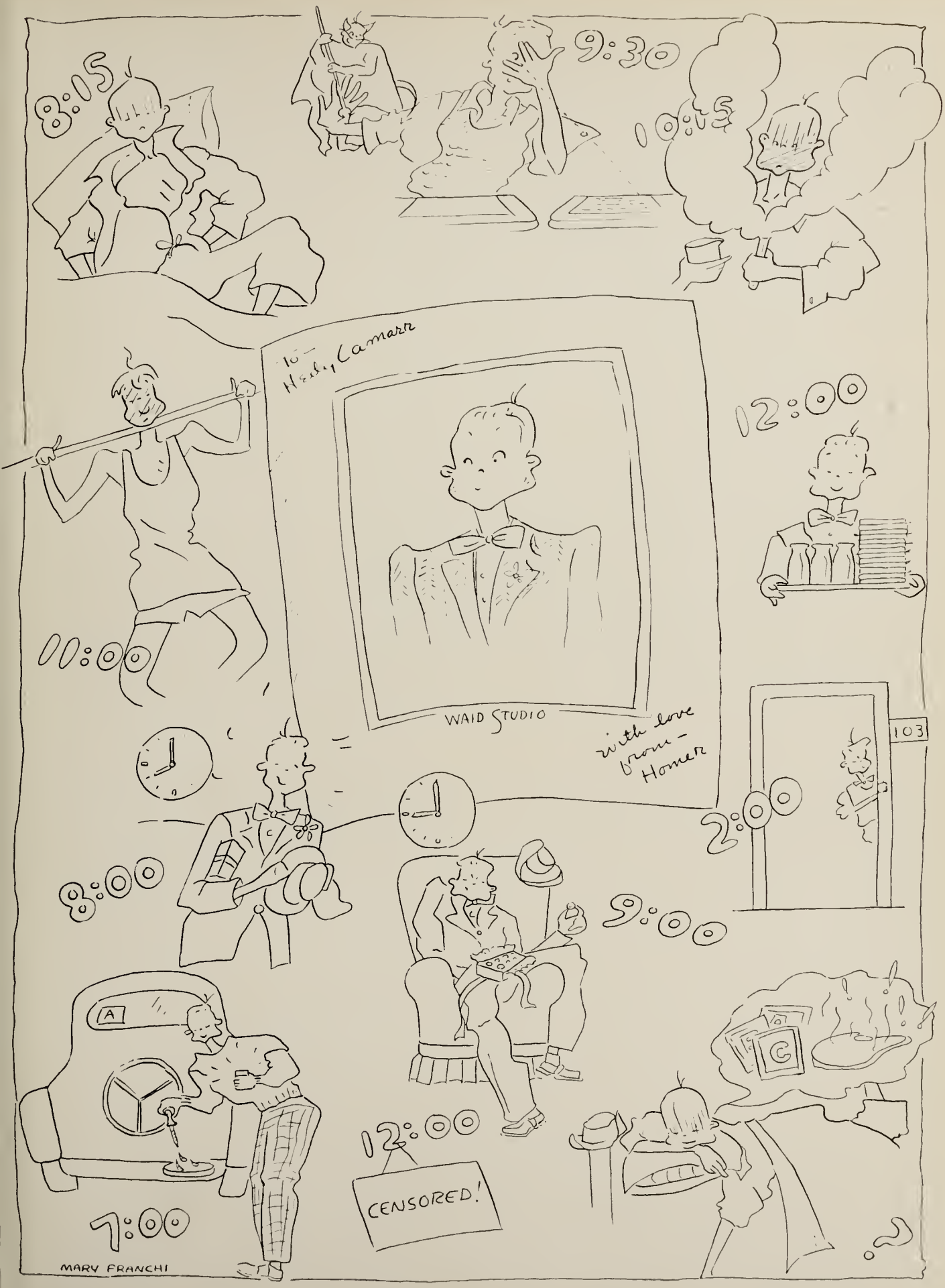
Band 1; Navigators 2
AMBITION: Join the Navy to see the sea
PET PEEVE: The "foreign situation"
"Labor is tiring;
so am I"

Terrenzi, Edward "Ed"

Band 1, 2; Orchestra 1, 2; Junior Red Cross 2
AMBITION: School teacher
PET PEEVE: Trying to get gasoline
"The world's a jest, and joy's a trinket;
I knew that once—but now I think it"

Williams, Theresa "Terry"

AMBITION: Have a good time, all the time
PET PEEVE: Homework
"In our chain of memory
We'll keep your link"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Junior

CLASS OFFICERS

Secretary	Betty Allen
President	Robert Brooks
Vice-President	Jacqueline Buckley
Treasurer	Richard Shea

Class

The Juniors had their first class meeting on Friday, January 7, 1944, supervised by the class adviser, Mrs. Hornsey, and presided over by the officers elected in the sophomore year: President, Jimmy Timberlake; Secretary, Doris Garabedian; and Treasurer, Bob Brooks. (Vice-President John Fleming had recently joined the armed forces.) Elections were held for representatives on the Junior-Senior Prom Committee; and those elected were Bob Brooks, Jane Buxton and Terry Nowak. A letter was read from Mr Shipman thanking the class for its Christmas remembrance.

Plans announced by the committee for the prom follow: Date, April 28; time, 8:30; place, cafeteria; orchestra, Dick Seeley's (nine-piece); price of tickets, $2.30.

By April 11th, the class had planned two events in addition to the prom. They were Class Day and Graduation Day, since the Juniors are given the responsibility of decorating the assembly hall for the former event, and beautifying the platform for graduation exercises.

Evelyn G. Hornsey
Adviser

Sophomore

CLASS OFFICERS

Secretary	Charlotte Atwater
President	Donald MacDonald
Vice-President	Kenneth Arico
Treasurer	Irene Pearson

Class

THE SOPHOMORES have been unusually active this year; under the advisership of Miss Helen Bridey, and headed by such officers as Don MacDonald, Ken Arico, Charlotte Atwater and Irene Pearson, they had good cause to make a success.

To begin with, two sophomores are serving on *The Standard*: Virginia Butt as co-editor, and Yvonne Burkitt as assistant editor.

Acting talent, too, has been discovered: Irene Pearson, Kay Pauley, and Vin Moore played in the hit, "Junior Miss."

Musicians, as well as writers and actors, have sprung up in our midst. A dance band recently made its debut at the DeMolay banquet.

Edith Kieling represents her class in war work as the champion sophomore bandage-roller at Surgical Dressings

Making the first team in Girls' Hockey, was June Lawrence. Similar honors went to Jeanne Campbell on the Basketball team.

Taken altogether, this class—the Class of '46—affords good reason to expect great things of them.

HELEN E. BRIDEY
Adviser

Senior Class Superlatives

	Girl	Boy
Most Popular	Dot Weichel	Joe Elliott
Most Versatile	Marjorie Douglass	Dave Johnson
Most Likely to Succeed	Betty Keegan	Paul Elliott
Did Most for B. H. S.	Julia Roper	Dick Schmalz
Best Natured	Dot Cheyney	Bill Toomey
Most Athletic	Kay Comeau	Joe Elliott
Best Dancer	Marjorie Douglass	Bud Davis
Best Dressed	Jayne Gillis	Bob Everett
Best Looking	Joan Sibley	Bob Smith
Cutest	Betty Coombs	Frank MacPherson
Noisiest	Maura Mahony	Joe Smith
Wittiest	Marjorie Coffey	Bob Moore
Quietest	Barbara Ferguson	George Wilder
Sleepiest	Pat Butler	Art Dowd
Most Bashful	Nancy Blaikie	Vincent Heavey
Class Baby	Hazel Koehnline	Winkie Lynn
Most Sincere	Anne O'Brien	Orville Bean
Best School Actress and Actor	Jeanne Olsen	Bob Fouhy
Optimist	Phil Burns	Paul Rico
Pessimist	Sis Kronenberg	Kennie Egan
Most Sophisticated	Priscilla Barnard	Jack Anderson
Best Student	Dot Coleman	Orville Bean
Favorite Teacher	Mrs. Hornsey	Mr. Wenner
Favorite Orchestra	Harry James	
Favorite Sport	Field Hockey	Football
Favorite Radio Program	Bob Hope	

ORGANIZATIONS
KEN MAC LEOD

The Student Council

As a group of smouldering embers awaits a time to burst forth again in all true colors, the Student Council remains a glow of color in the lives of the students. They are still striving "to promote a more perfect high school, to enhance our school spirit and activities, and to arouse the pupil's interest in his own school problems."

Although servicemen have priorities on the top-notch maestros, the Student Council secured several assemblies with both educational and entertainment value.

The Council also sponsored the music in the cafeteria, brought to students "via Vic" during lunch period.

Under the leadership of Dot Cheney, Jack Lyons, Jacynth Thompson, Frank MacPherson, and Mr. Higginbottom, the Student Council enjoyed a successful year.

The embers have not burned out, nor will they ever as long as our successors keep the spirit of this organization alive.

National Honor Society

Election to the National Honor Society, the highest scholarship organization in the school, is based on scholarship, service, leadership and character. The purpose of the club is "to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote worthy leadership, and to encourage the development of character in pupils of the Belmont High School."

As the National Honor Society does not sponsor any large school activities, the student body does not fully understand the importance of membership, but those who take an active part in the organization, agree that it is a grand success. The officers for the year were Jack Anderson, Dorothy Coleman, Betty Keegan, Wilbert Greenlaw and Mr. Meyers, club adviser.

The Red Cross Club

THIS YEAR THE Junior Red Cross Club proved a necessary organization, and deserves much credit for its many vital services.

The proceeds from the annual drive for funds set a new record for future years, and were donated to various charity groups. The usual custom of distributing Christmas gifts to needy children and making Easter favors for hospitalized veterans was continued. In addition to these services, the girls formed regular surgical dressing units which turned out a monthly average of about five thousand dressings. Other projects were undertaken throughout the year, making our club both interesting to its members and unusually worthwhile.

Under the direction of Miss Richmond, Miss Woodruff, and the officers—Dick Flamand, Phyllis Burns, Joanne Nagle, and Doris Garabedian—the Junior Red Cross Club has completed the most successful year in the club's history.

The Belmontian Club

"To broaden the intellectual, moral and social life of its members, and to be of service to the school" is the motto and purpose of the Belmontian Club.

This year the club achieved its every aim under the able leadership of Dorothy Weichel, Edith Kronenberg, Joan Sibley, and Betty Coombs.

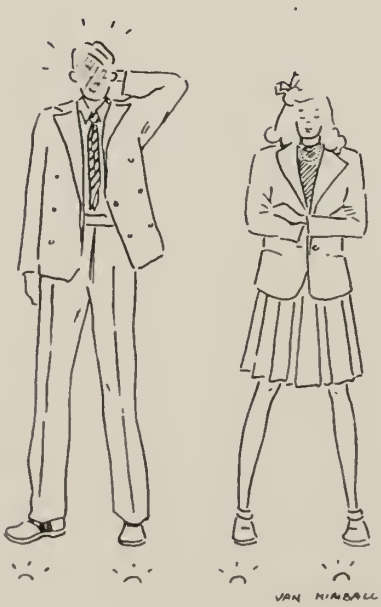
The monthly programs proved to be unusually interesting to the feminine minds. Speakers from the Boston Seaman's Club and from a leading beauty house.

Taking a prominent part in social activities, the girls scored a big hit with the "Spirit Dance" and the traditional Belmontian formal.

The club donated generous funds to two worth while organizations and also to the Senior Class gift.

With the kindly assistance of the advisers, the Misses Anderson, Blennerhasset, Calderara, Mathews, and Mrs. Howarth, the Belmontian Club may look forward to many more equally successful years.

The Dramatic Club



RANKING HIGH AMONG the many successful clubs this year was the Dramatic Club, under the direction of Mr. MacCloskey. The club was fortunate in having an increased membership, together with an abundance of talent in this interesting art. Having elected competent officers—Jack Anderson, Ruth Coombs, and Vincent Heavey, the first highlight of the season was in the form of a Christmas play, which was received by an amused and satisfied audience.

In addition to the regular meetings, the Belmont High Dramatic Club had the honor of serving as host to the Massachusetts State Drama Festival. Each participating school presented a one act play, which was judged by a high school and a college coach, as well as a New York director.

The best of luck and success to next year's club!

The Bookworms Club

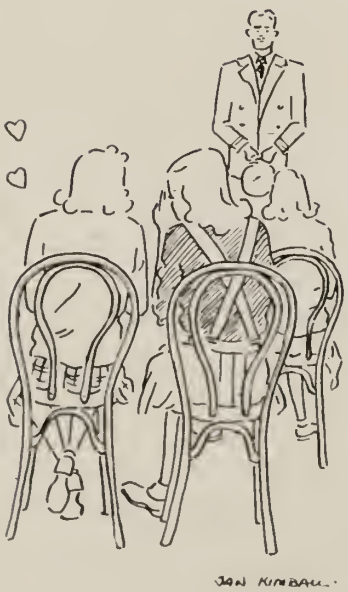
The Bookworms Club always arouses much interest in its members as the activities are so unlike those of other school groups The meetings were ably conducted under William Scholl, president; Edward DuBois, vice president; Patricia Burke, secretary; Evelyn Bates, June Wilson, and Priscilla Rogers, librarians; and Miss Ames, adviser.

At one of the regular meetings, Miss Louise Wisecopf, from the Library Department of the New England News, presented an entertaining lecture on new books.

Another club event which was of value to the entire student body was the thrift shop sale at Christmas. The proceeds were donated to the Belmont Home Front Committee for remembrances for our boys in service. Throughout the year, many other interesting meetings were held, all contributing to the success of the club.

We wish many grand years to those who will carry on.

The French Club



ONE THING RATIONING has not affected was the fun which the French Club had during 1944. Many colorful meetings were planned, which had appeal for beginners as well as more advanced French students.

At the Christmas party, celebrated with the Latin Club, the members enjoyed games, carols and talks on French customs. Later in the year, a French Navy officer discussed his experiences as a member of the Fighting French Forces. Miss Stevens, club adviser, also showed slides and lectured on France, while at other meetings various speakers were heard.

Not only was our knowledge of France increased, but also the opportunities for speaking and hearing French were furthered.

We wish to thank our officers—Catherine Comeau, John Picariello, Norma Ricci, and Paul Cox for successfully leading the club.

The Latin Club

The Latin Club, Summa, opened its enjoyable year with the customary installation of officers, according to the ancient and impressive Roman ritual. The activities held thereafter were varied and entertaining, beginning with a joint Christmas party with the French Club. The club was also very fortunate in securing several interesting speakers from the Museum of Fine Arts and others well acquainted with Rome.

Under the direction of its faculty advisers, Miss Steuerwald and Miss Noreen, Summa was announced a complete success. The officers for the year were Paul Elliott and Robert Smith, Consules; Audrey Murphy and Eugenia Sullivan, Quaestores Tabularum; Robert Regan, Quaestor Aerarii; Sylvia Jackson and Ruth Coombs, Censores; Jane Masson, Ann Johnson, Joan Appel, and Eunice Cronin, Aediles; Janet Hawkins, Pontifex Maximum; and Thomas Daily, Augur.

The Spanish Club

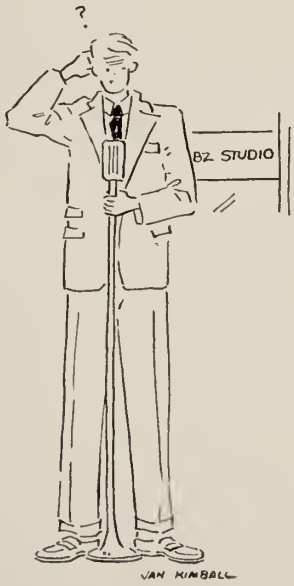
THIS YEAR THE Spanish Club continued its custom of meeting once every month with its advisers, Miss Dorntee and Miss McKenna. Although the club got off to a late start, the several spring meetings were greeted with much enthusiasm on the part of its members.

The appointed entertainment committees provided many interesting programs for its informal and friendly meetings. In March, the members took part in a series of Spanish games, with a reward of extra refreshments for the winners. At a later date, a spring party was conducted, and the final meeting was dedicated as a farewell to the graduating seniors. The officers were David Johnson, Alice Porter, Jacynth Thompson and Edith Kronenberg.

The Forum Club

The Forum Club, sponsored by Miss Anderson, was a new organization, established for the purpose of forming a discussion group interested in the present and future affairs of the nation. The officers were George Kruse, President; Robert Smith, Vice-President; and Dorothy Coleman, Secretary-Treasurer.

In December, the club presented an educational Junior Town Meeting assembly program, discussing the United States' position in the post-war world. At various times throughout the year, members of the club participated in the WBZ New England Junior Town Meeting of the Air, while still another activity was the entrance of contestants in the Bryant and Stratton History Radio Quiz. Monthly discussions and an occasional social hour completed a highly successful year.



The Music Club

AMONG THE NEW clubs organized during the current school year, the Music Club proved one of the most promising. Several students, having a keen interest in music and its benefits, secured the able assistance of Miss Anderson as their adviser. Together, the founders drew up a set of bylaws, and immediately put their plans into action.

Although the club had a late start, its success is obvious, and the members were provided with many entertaining programs. A visit to Mrs. Jack Gardner's Palace, an RKO production, and a Symphony concert were among the activities held outside the regular club meetings.

Everyone wishes to thank the officers—Barbara Ferguson, Mary Lou Cosgrove, and Mary Westergaard—for leading this fine project so successfully.

The Dachshunde Club

MOTTO: "Hunde die bellen, beiszen nicht"

BARKING dogs do not bite—dead dogs do not bark—but this past year has seen dead dogs return to life, for once again the Dachshunde are in the field of school organizations.

German has by popular request been returned to the curriculum of the high school; and with the return of the study of the language, there has come also the request for a revival of the club which was a most energetic organization in the years 1934-1938.

At club meetings one can enjoy songs of German student life. There is the chance to carry on the study of and to use the fascinating old German script. One can collect German proverbs, learn stories of German operas, and take verbal trips to various places of interest.

Bow Wow Wow! die frohen Dachshunde—
Woof!—die Dachshunde—Woof! Bow Wow!

The Band

THE BAND is one of the musical service organizations sponsored by the high school, and, as such, plays at school and community functions. This year its activities have been necessarily varied to meet the requests of the Home Front Committee and other wartime demands.

In addition, Mr. Smith and the band were still able to fulfill the regular school engagements. They provided music to rouse the enthusiasm of our football fans, played at Armistice and Memorial Day services, presented their annual Spring Concert, and paraded in the Memorial Day celebration.

The school and the community—all are grateful for having this successful organization, which we hope will continue its work indefinitely.

Choir and Orchestra

One of the growing groups at school is the A Cappella Choir which meets every Thursday and Friday morning under the able leadership of Miss Ida Marie Bunting, not only to sing for enjoyment, but to study a little harmony and the historical background of music.

The group, besides being able to sing, includes a number of students who have the ability to play instruments. Among the pianists are Loryne Koebele, Janet Franklin, and Pamela Baxter. Our violinist is Ethel Ginsburgh, and trombone player, Nan Schmidt. All of these girls also play in the orchestra under the direction of Mr. Walter Smith.

In mentioning artists, it is impossible to overlook the unusually fine voices of Jean Thrasher and Ruth Thomas, both of whom wish to continue in singing.

Football Team

THE 1944 EDITION of the "Concord Avenue Crushers" was not exactly a blazing success that rocketed to enduring gridiron immortality. However, the local fans were fighting every minute as the close scores and gate receipts proved. Backs were fleet and shifty, while the line, by sheer power, made up its lack of physical latitude and longitude. Captain Joe Elliott and team reached their peak in the Arlington game, and their draw with Winchester came as an anti-climax to this torrid tilt. After the annual Thanksgiving Day game with Watertown, the "hard luck" lads reluctantly cast aside their uniforms, many to enter the grim game of war.

LEWIS HARRIS
Coach

JOSEPH ELLIOTT
Captain

Soccer Team

Under the capable leadership of Captain Bob Fitzgerald, our Booting Brilliants conducted an above average season which was highlighted in the finale by a 2-2 tie with mighty Medford. A second high spot for the Belmont Booters was an enjoyable trip to Governor Dummer Academy, although they were toppled 4 to 0. The boys that play soccer don't draw large crowds or get high pressure publicity, but they play every minute as if it were their last. Here is true love of the game! All had to work hard, as there were few returning vets with game experience; however, they did a great job and fielded an excellent team. These lads and Coach Mel Wenner have what it takes.

Meldon Wenner
Coach

Robert Fitzgerald
Captain

Boys' Basketball

Our 1944 B. H. S. Backboard Busters delighted and dazzled local hoop fans by sweeping to a first place tie in the fast Middlesex League Race. On the basis of their won 11—lost 1 record, the Wenner-Coached locals were extended an invitation to compete in Class B of the annual Tech Tournament. Seven thousand spectators and the bright lights of the Boston Garden were all taken in stride by the lads, as was Newburyport in their initial tilt, 28-26. The B. H. S. hoopmen returned to topple Framingham in a thrilling overtime game by a 33-29 count, thus earning the privilege of meeting Braintree in the Class B finale.

The big night came, and a terrific turnout of local fans squeezed into the Garden, only to see the Battling Belmontians edged out, 40-36, in a close, hard fought game. A beautiful trophy as Class B runner-up was some consolation to the Orchard Street Five.

Meldon Wenner
Coach

Kenneth Egan
William Tufts
Co-Captains

Girls' Basketball

The Girls' Basketball teams completed a very successful season this year; for the first team dropped only two games, and the seconds were undefeated!

The Varsity, under Captain Kay Comeau, lost the opening game, to Winchester, and another to Watertown, but rallied together for the following games to win over Concord, Arlington, Malden, Melrose, Lexington and Medford. The high scoring forwards were Eileen Foley, Eleanor Greehan and Marion Macaulay; the guards, Mary J. Comerford, Kay Comeau, and Betty O'Brien.

The excellent second team was made up of forwards Florence Azzone, Jeanne Campbell, Pat Leary, Jane Burke, Marjorie Douglass, and Nan Schmidt; and the guards, Joan Appel, June Lawrence, Gloria Gruhn, Lura Williams, Nancy Birch and Joan Hanley.

Certainly Miss Cleary and the members of the team deserve a vote of thanks for the cooperation and work that they put in to make this fine record possible.

Alberta Cleary
Coach

Catherine Comeau
Captain

Hockey Team

THE ANTIQUATED LOCAL superstition that Belmont High School "can't" have a good hockey team was completely dispelled this year, and the initial steps toward the rehabilitation of B. H. S. Hockey transpired under the leadership of our popular new coach, Wilfred Paro. Despite a mysterious mid-season slump, the Orchard Street Sextet finished up with a won 8, lost 4 record and turned in many stellar performances. One of the highlights of the season was a 5-1 triumph over Watertown, and another was the 4-2 win against potent Exeter. The best of them all, however, was the Medford game, where the undefeated rivals had to score in the last minute to edge by the scrappy B. H. S. club. Captain Bill Brown and his teammates played fighting hockey all the time, and although they didn't finish at the head of the list, they made every game a real battle. Maybe it's the start of a new era in Belmont hockey, but only time will tell.

WILFRED PARO
Coach

WILLIAM BROWN
Captain

Girls' Field Hockey

THE LONG DESIRE of the field hockey team finally came true—an undefeated season—the first in seven years. There were ties among our victories, but not once did the opponents overcome our snappy forward line. Considering that Belmont was scored upon only once, a strong word should also be put in for the stalwart playing of the defense.

Under the leadership of Eleanor Grechan, captain, the team came out on top at Concord and Winchester, and tied with Melrose, Arlington, and Lexington. At a Boston Field Hockey Association tournament, Belmont was victorious in two and tied the third. Here Kay Comeau, Eileen Foley, Eleanor Greehan, and Marion Macaulay were chosen for the all-school team.

The team is indebted to Coach Cleary, who in her third year at Belmont, proved that "the third time never fails."

ALBERTA CLEARY
Coach

ELEANOR GREEHAN
Captain

Baseball Team

WITH TWO IMPRESSIVE Middlesex League wins in as many starts, it's a fair bet that the harassed Harrismen will cop that diamond diadem once again this season. The opener against Concord was a thriller and the localites had to work hard to gain a 5 to 4 verdict with Jack Gibson on the slab. Next was the Stoneham tilt, which was a wild game, as the 24 to 16 score in our favor well indicates Veterans from the '43 campaign are Ken Egan, Joe Elliott, Bill Brown, Bill Donovan, Art Dowd, Fred Gronberg and Paul Cochrane. There's a bumper crop of good material which, with a bit of experience, should do a fine job. We seriously doubt if we have a potential State Championship Club hidden away in the wilds of Concord Avenue Field; however, these B. H. S. lads will be definitely in there every minute of every game.

LEWIS HARRIS
Coach

ARTHUR DOWD
Captain

Track Team

On the basis of recent performances, the 1944 track team should be another top notch one for Coach Wenner. There are two reasons for this line of thought. The first is the cinder stars' triumph over Lexington and Concord in the annual Patriot's Day meet which was held at Concord. A second strong reason is the 50 to 27 win over Winchester at Concord Avenue.

In both these meets, Captain Will Tufts was outstanding, particularly in his specialty, the broad jump. All squad members are working hard; morale is high, and by mid-season these lads should reach their peak. By the time you read this, you may place your correspondent in the category of a perfect prognosticator or just another poor guesser. Wanna' bet they're tops?

Meldon Wenner
Coach

William Tufts
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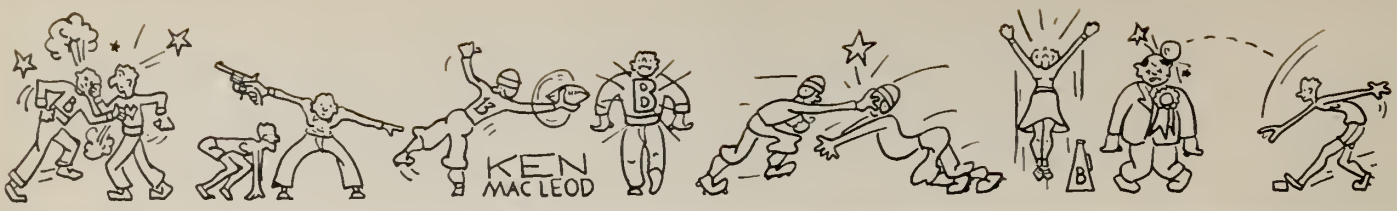
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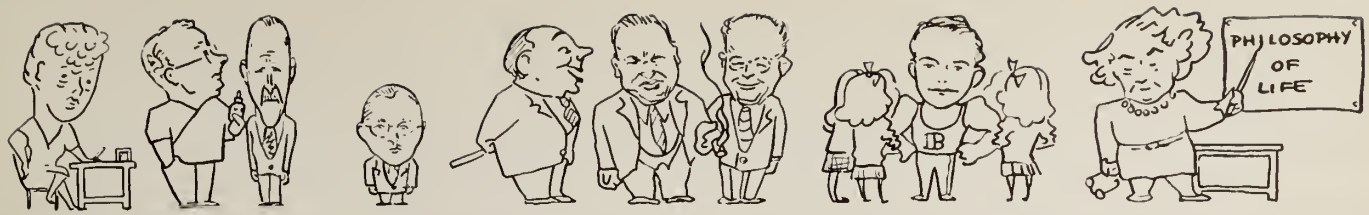
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"June Mad"

On November nineteenth, the senior class presented "June Mad," a sparkling and hilarious comedy of modern youth. The story concerns Penny Wood and Chuck Harris, the boy next door, as they go about the frequently difficult, but always amusing business of growing up. When Penny's Uncle Mervyn, only five years older than she, brings Roger Vaughan, a senior and killer-diller, home from college, she forgets to be a man-hater and succumbs to an attack of calf-love. In her efforts to make herself attractive to the fascinating Roger, she almost disrupts two families, but the discovery that Roger is double-crossing Mervyn by trying to steal his girl brings her back to normal and incidentally to Chuck.

Jeanne Olsen played an unforgettable Penny, with Bob Fouhy, as Chuck, and Jack Anderson as sophisticated Roger. The supporting cast consisted of Helen Crepeau, Betty Keegan, Wilbert Greenlaw, Vincent Heavey, Ann Quigley, Joe Smith, Dick Jordan, Barbara Jopling, John Picariello, and Ruth Thomas.

The play was produced under the superb direction of Mr. Edmund M. MacCloskey. Ably assisting were Nelson Moore, Ruth Thomas, Barbara Jopling, as stage managers; Kathryn Nuzum, Eileen Kearns and Natalie Kearns as assistant stage managers; and Stanley Birch, lighting technician.

"Junior Miss"

The Student Council in collaboration with the Dramatic Club presented the Broadway hit, "Junior Miss," on February eighthteenth. This was no ordinary student production because members of our faculty played the adult roles. The audience beheld Mr. MacCloskey as the bewildered father of an even more bewildering daughter, who has just become interested in boys and dates; Mrs. Hornsey, as the patient, sympathetic mother; Mr. Leonard as Uncle Willis, who was endeavoring to recover from a ten-year stretch, supposedly; Mr. Kolouch, as a pompous and self-important businessman, and last, but hardly least, Mrs. Brown, as Ellen, his lovable daughter and secretary.

Junior Miss, alias Judy Graves, and her inseparable pal, Fuffy, engage in a conspiracy to marry Uncle Willis to Ellen, who they think is in love with Judy's father. This little plot disrupts a family as well as a law partnership until, miraculously, everything ends happily.

The student cast of this hilarious comedy included Irene Pearson, Kathryn Pauley, Jean Thrasher, Elaine MacKenney, Donald Osterberg, Vincent Moore, Jack Anderson, Nelson Moore, Wilbert Greenlaw, John Higgins, Herbert Waite, Chester Harrington, and Bradford Munroe. The usually forgotten understudies were Barbara Ahern, Nancy Soller and Betty Keegan.

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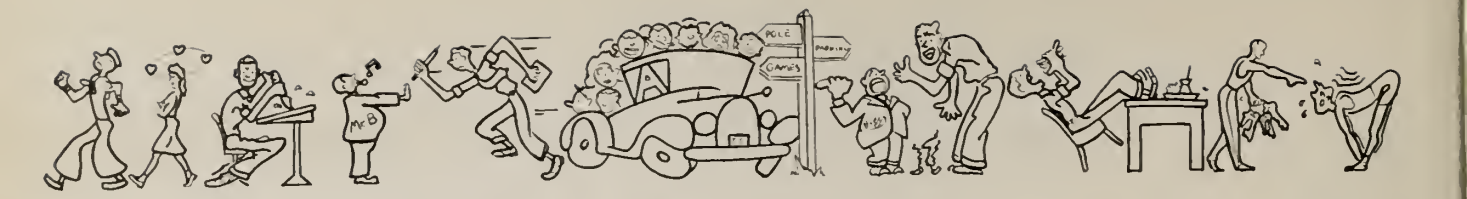
Senior Class Banquet

GAIETY AND LAUGHTER prevailed at the senior banquet, Wednesday evening, February sixteenth. From the "Star Spangled Banner" to "Goodbye Now," everyone had a memorable evening. Needless to mention, no one went hungry as the platters were licked clean by the dignified and serious seniors.

President Joe Elliott presented the speaker of the evening, our popular principal, Mr. Higginbottom. Our inimitable English instructor, Mrs. Hornsey, was caught off guard as Joe asked her "to speak to *his* class."

As for the floor show—genial "Flip" Flamand outdid himself as master of ceremonies and orchestra leader, to say nothing of his rendition of "No Love, No Nothing." Feet tapped to the rousing rhythm of our student orchestra. A certain Waverley politician (do we need to mention whom?), Bob Moore, the incomparable, was much in evidence, soliciting votes as the next Mayor of Waverley. Two girls with strangely masculine appearing legs, swooned outside of the Keith Memorial at five o'clock in the morning, waiting to see "Frankie." Upon looking closely, they seemed to resemble Ludy Bonfiglio and Bob Moore. The harassed announcer of Station BHS was frequently interrupted in his advertisement of Wenner's Weeds, the only cigarette, by such antics as Mr. B. hunting for his radio and Pop Nagle scouting for post office employees. The cowboy music makers, the Shoplifters—Sydney Locke, James Mazzeo and Kenyon MacLeod—transported us to the wild West and back again. The tuneful songs of those beautiful girls, Jacynth Thompson, Dorothy Weichel and Doris Stauffer, brought the house down. The curtain closed as the entire cast sang a rousing finale. The senior banquet of the class of 1944 was over.



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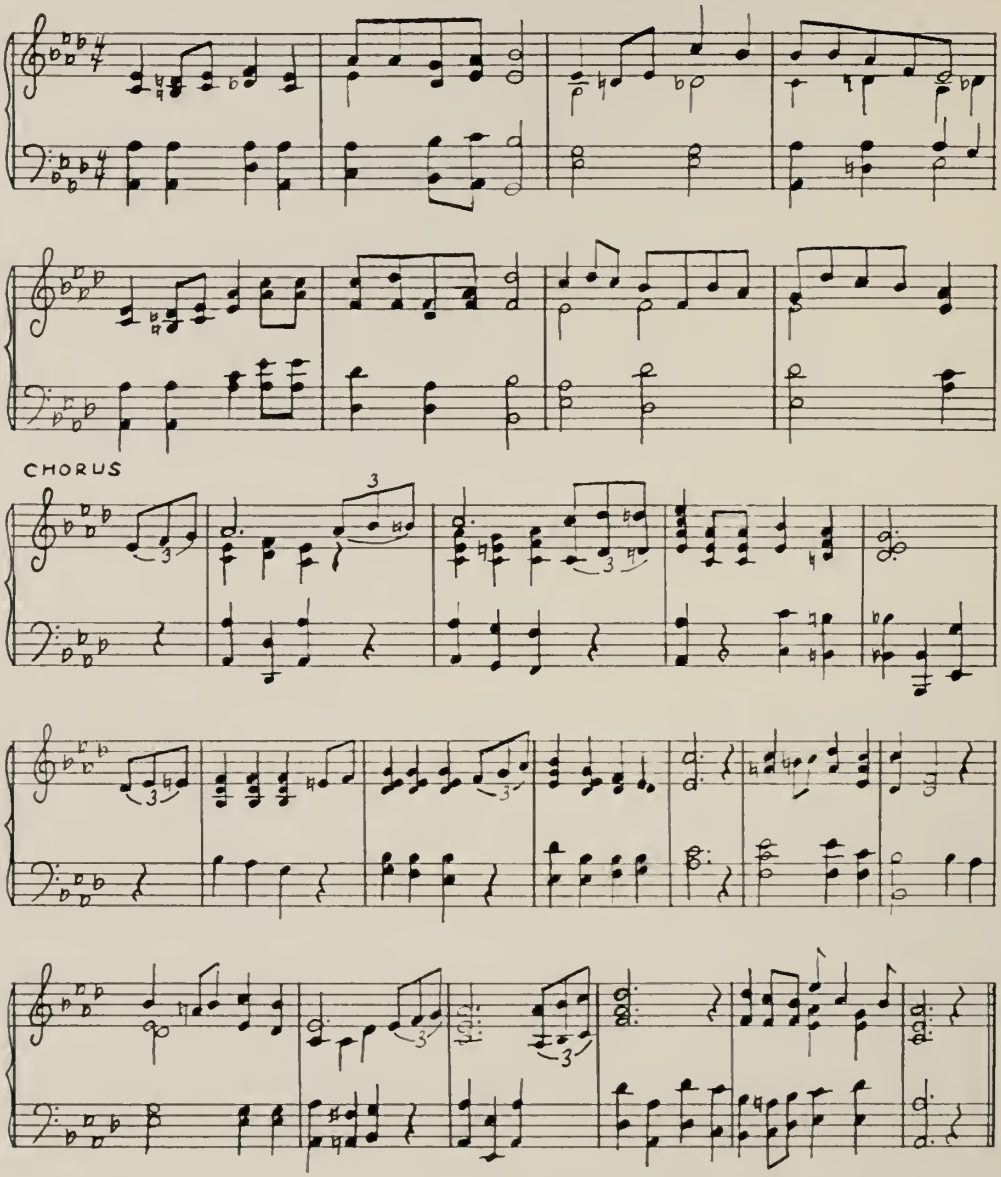
Belmont Vocational High School

Donald Moore, *Director*

1944 Class Song

Words by Herbert Davis — *Music Arranged by* Harold Currier



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We leave thee now to seek our destiny.
And for the last time we close thy paneled door
And leave thee sadly, our dear class of Forty-four.

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Chorus

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